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MOTORISTS WHOSE MOTTO IS Airst" ALWAYS FIT DUNLOP TYRES

ARSHIPS GERMAN RUSH

Following Outside Territorial Waters INSTRUCTIONS UNKNOWN GRAVE CRISIS FEARED BUT

Berlin, December 27.

Germany's steps in reply to the seizure of the steamer Palos by the Spanish Government authorities in the Bay of Biscay, will be announced Monday or Tues-

In the meantime, it is generally agreed that German warships have been sent to Bilbao, though it is not known precisely what orders have been given them.

Semi-official comment respecting the Anglo-French representations on the subject of the despatch of volunteers to Spain, was made to-day. It was pointed out that Germany months ago had emphasised that volunteering in the Spanish civil war was one of the most important aspects of the work of the Non-Intervention Committee.

German

Crew Saved

The crew of a German South

Atlantic air liner were drama-

tically saved by a fast motor

cutter belonging to a rival

French line, it was learned here

to-day when the men had come

The cutter was near at hand

when the big German machine

landed in the sea after having

lost her propellor. The crew

transferred to the cutter, but the

plane had to be abandoned owing

FIERCE

BERLIN

BLAZE

NDERGROUND RAIL

Berlin, Dec. 27.

WAY BURNS

Excavators to-day aided fire-

fighters, tearing up the roadway of

the Potsdamerplatz to enable firemen

to reach a big fire raging in a tunnel

blaze through the entrance of the

General Herman Goering and Dr.

Josef Goebbels, Minister for Air and

Propaganda respectively, joined the

huge crowd which watched the fight

against the flames.—Reuter.

sent under construction.

to the heavy seas.—Reuter.

safely to shore.

Dakar, Dec. 27.

An authoritative spokesman told Reuter to-day that many persons of all countries wanted to join the fight in Spain. The other side started its work in support of the Leftist group much earlier, by collecting money on behalf of the Spanish Government, he pointed out.—Reuter.

PATROL OPENED FIRE

Messages from Madrid reveal that a Leftist patrol boat arrested the German steamer Palos after firing declare the ship was outside Spanish territorial waters.

The Palos belongs to Oldenburgh Portuguese Company, and was bound for Spanish ports from Hamburg. She carried no war materials, German sources disclose, and only three passengers.

A Berlin message asserts that if those aboard the Palos are harmed the situation may become very grave.

Anglo-French Notes

The British and French Ambassadors called at the Foreign Office at moon to-day and each handed to Dr. Gauss, chief juridical adviser of the Foreign Office, a memorandum concerning the present condition of nonintervention in Spain.

It is stated that both notes are of a similar naure.—Reuter.

Severe Fighting

Madrid, Dec. 28. There has been severe fighting on the Madrid front. Yesterday the Government inunched an offensive on the Barrio Densera sector, south of Madrid. At 7.30 a.m. the Loyalist lines opened a heavy and precise artillery fire; which preceded the advance of militia.

The operation was undertaken with the idea of hampering General Francisco Franco's plan to encircle Madrid and to open up the possibility of taking the rebel position in the Casa de Campo on the flank.

Meanwhile, the insurgents made a vigorous attack from Casa de Campo and actually succeeded in crossing the Manzanares River, driving the Government troops before them. However, the militia rallied, and supported by a heavy fire, counter-attacked. After very violent fighting the insurgents were repulsed. Both sides lost very heavily,—

Japanese-Australian

MANY RESTRICTIONS tunnel. REMOVED

Melbourne, Dec. 27. A new trade agreement between Australia and Japan was announced

hero to-day. It covers a period of 18 months and provides for imports of 102,500,-000 square yards of Japanese colton, ally extinguished, at 1 a.m. artificial silk and piece goods yearly,

Both countries have undertaken to tion in a specially equipped motor remove special prohibitions against car. other imports. Japan has also with-

in equal proportions.

UNDER CONTROL Berlin, Later. It is understood the fire is practic-

The firemen only gained control after 17 brigades had been in opera-In return, Japan will issue permits tion for some hours, directed by the be consecrated to his high office," the to import 800,000 bales of Australian head of the fire fighting force speak- Archbishop went, on "The august ing through a loud-speaker connec-

drawn excess duties imposed on most of the tunnel's electric wiring to the services of God, certain Australian products. Reuter and wooden panelling were destroyed. British Wireless.

EARTHQUAKE IN JAPAN

SMALL LOSS OF LIFE REPORTED

Tokyo, Dec. 28. An earthquake shook Tokyo and several shots across her bows. German authorities other pasts of Japan this morning, but without serious loss of life,

> The most serious loss was in Niljima Island, where one person is dead, two missing and ten injured, Some 500 dwellings were damaged,- German Army, who in 1934

GERMAN NOTED GENERAL DEAD



General Hans von Seeckt, reconstructor of Germany's post war Army, whose death is reported from Berlin.

FAMOUS GENERAL *PASSES

REBUILT GERMAN ARMY AFTER WAR

ONCE ADVISER TO NANKING

Berlin, Dec. 27. (Continued on Page 4.)

The death has occurred of General Hans von Seeckt, the reconstructor of the post-war

By Frenchmen CHURCH CALLS TO NATION

Archbishop Warns Slackening Morality

London, Dec. 27.

"Just as there was no room for Christ in the inn on the first Christmas Day, so to-day there is no room for Him in the noise and bustle of the hostelry of modern life," declared the Archbishop of Canterbury broadcasting to the nation this evening.

His oratory was a solemn "recall to religion."

He commented on the slackening and scorning of the old standards of morality, visible in the loosening of the ties of marriage and of the restraint upon the impulse of

However, he was convinced that there was an instinct of religion and sound morality in the common heart. God was not so much denied as "crowded out." "God knows how needful pleasures |

of an underground railway, at preare as a means of escaping from the simin of life or the monotony of Baulks, sleepers and tar barrels work. See that they are wholesome," fed the flames, and a dense smoke he urged.

> "In our national history the past year can never be forgotten. But its most recent and vivid memories had better how be kept in silence.

> "Let us return from the past and to the future, and look upon all that has happened as a call to re-establish and re-settle the foundations of our national life.

"Within five months the King will ceremony will not benefit or have full the beginning of a new reign, but a meaning unless the nation, with and

"I pray God it may mark not only | special."

COMPULSORY ARBITRATION

FRENCH SENATE PASSES BILL

Paris, Dec. 28. The Senate, by a vote of 170 to 89 adopted the Bill providing for compulsory arbitration of labour disputes, with only a few modifications of the text as passed by the Chamber of Deputies. Reven

new return of the nation to God, a Many underground workshops, through its King, consecrates itself new loyalty as to the King, and, above all, to the King of Kings."-Reuter

HEAVY LOSS MONGKOK Big Timber YardBlazes In Early Morning SHIFTING WIND CREATES DANGER OF

A disastrous fire broke out in the Mongkok Timber Yard this morning, covering an area of several acres and threatening houses in the vicinity. The outbreak was visible for miles around, the flames shooting in the air to a height of over a hundred feet, and the damage already done is most extensive.

In addition to the yards actually involved, there are several others nearby which are threatened, whilst within the area affected there were numerous structures occupied by people of the poorer class, as well as big stocks of furniture, large quantities of which have already been destroyed. Fortunately, no loss of life is believed to have occurred.

The outbreak occurred at 7.45 a.m., and within a brief period of time the whole of the Kowloon and Mongkok fire appliances were on the scene, in charge of Superintendent Brooks. The area involved is bounded by Mongkok Road, Bute Street, Shanghai Street and an un-named lane about a quarter of a mile in length. The same district was involved in a serious fire about two and a half years ago, when the whole block was destroyed.

PAINT TINS EXPLODE

About half an hour after the fire broke out, there was a series of explosions from bursting tins of paint stored in the yards. Fortunately, the firemen were able

to draw water from the sea for the purpose of fighting the flames, and numerous lines of hoses were soon being utilised. The work of the firemen, however,

was made more than usually difficult owing to the fact that there was a strong, variable wind blowing. The result was that no sooner had the fire been got under control on one section than flames began shooting up in

Early on, the firemen realised that their main task would be to prevent the flames from crossing the lane to other timber yards which adjoin the Texico Company's oil installation. The wind frequently carried the flames in this direction, with a constant danger of the adjacent area becoming involved.

When the seriousness of the outbreak became evident, the occupants of adjacent houses began to evacuate their homes, piling their goods in the streets at a safe distance from the

BROUGHT UNDER CONTROL

At 10 a.m., though the fire was still burning furiously, firemen apparently had it under control. The danger of its spreading had passed. An area over two acres in extent

has been burned to the ground. All mainland fire fighting units are still at work, assisted by two fire floats. In order to control the traffe in the locality, some scores of extra police, were stationed at various points, whilst assistance was also

Governor Looks At Big Blaze

given by members of the St. John

Ambulance Corps.

the scene.,

While he was returning from his lodge at Fanling this morning, His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, saw the leaping fully at 8.15 a.m. flames of the Mongkok fire and instructed his chausseur to approach

For some time His Excellency watched the efforts of the firemen. tramping from one to another point of vantage, and paying close attention to the detail of their work. He remained until the fire was under con-

During the absence from the Colony of Miss Elma Kelly, who is branch of Mesers, Millington, Ltd., morrow, the cortege posting Wing will be in charge of Mr. H. Coleman. Pit Ting, Poktulum Road, at 4 p.m.

time juvenile film lead. Here

SOONG TO TAKE HIGH

NANKING RUMOUR **ASSERTS**

CONFIRMATION LACKING

the Executive Yuan in succes-Affairs Commission,

It is stated in reliable quarters that General Chang Hsuch-liang will return to Slanfu shortly and resume his post there, to continue his work of anti-Communist suppression and to prove his loyalty and sincerity.

General Yang Hu-chen, one of Chang's close allies, will also be leniently treated, it is believed,-

GANDHI GIVES **ADVICE**

MRS. R. H. KOTEWALL PASSES SUDDENLY

Freed

London, Dec. 27.

Liner

sixty hours.

After 60°

The German liner Pretoria has

left Southampton for Capetown

after being aground on a mud-

bank in Southampton Waters for

The captain states that he ex-

pects to arrive at Capetown, for

which port the vessel was bound,

according to schedule, as he will

omit the calls at Lisbon and

CHARITY

WORKER

DIES HERE

Casablanca.—Reuter.

LEAVES HOST FRIENDS OF .

Many residents will learn with deep regret of the death, which occurred this morning of Mrs. Kotewall, wife of the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, member of the Executive Council.

The deceased lady had been in poor health' for some considerable 'time past, but her death, at her residence, No. 57 Kotewall Road, was somewhat unexpected. She passed away peace-

Mrs. Kotowall was well-known for her charitable work in the Colony. She was associated with numerous organisations and was a member of the Executive Committee of the Society for the Protection of Children, in which she took a keen interest. She will be greatly missed by many bodies of which she was a worker. Besides the husband, there are eight children, seven daughters, (two married), and a son, with whom the deepest sympathy will be felt.

HOLLYWOOD

SHOCK FOR



Hollywood, and particularly the film colony, got the surprise of a life-time when Miss Mary Pickford, former wife of Douglas Falrbanks, Sr., announced her engagement to "Buddy" Rogers, crooning band leader and one-

POSITION

Nanking, Dec. 28.

t is persistently rumoured that Mr. T. V. Soong, former Finance Minister and brotherin-law of Marshal Chiang Kaishek, may become President of sion to the Generalissimo, who would then retain only the chairmanship of the Military

PREPARED TO MAKE ANY SACRIFICE

IMPRESSES HEARERS

Faizpur, Dec. 27.

The Mahaima Gandhi broke a twoyear silence when he spoke to-day at the Village Industries Exhibition, held in connection with the National Congress here, for which 30,000 political figures have assembled.

"Show me the way, and I am prepared to go back to gool," he declared. "I am prepared to hang. "If you do what I want, the Viceroy will admit he has been wrong and

will offer to return with the rest of the Britons on the next steamer. "And I would reply: Indig is big enough to hold you, and more like

His words greatly impressed the Congress camp, as it was considered possible that they prefaced his return

to active politics, to Interviewed later, however, Gandhi scouted this interpretation.-Reuter.

It is against the new Indian Constitution that Gandhi and other leaders have taken umbrage, and taking short leave, the Hongokng The funeral takes place to Indications are that the campaign ngainst it will bo extended

Always mastage cream into the hands by stroking upwards from fingers to wrist. Prevents skin stretching and ageing.

Those pale ethereal hands the poets love can be achieved with quick-acting bleaching creams or packs.

THEN you choose a hat or a new hair style, you consider your face first. The hat must be a shape and

colour which is both becoming to you and suitable for the outfit it will accompany. Your hair must form a pretty frame for your brow and at the same time suit your

Hands, with their accessories of gioves, rings, bracelets and nail varnish, come in for less consideration. Poor things, they are often like the step-children in a fairy story-overworked and never a thank you!

All too often they are not reckoned in with the beauty scheme at all, so it is little wonder that they protest by spoiling the outlook! Before going on to how to keep the hands at their prettiest, let us see how many different types we have to deal with. Naturally, hands are as varied

as faces, but we can classify them up

Alds To Beauty

to a point.

HEY can be little and slen-L der, broad and large, long and slim, short and thick. There are

hundreds of in-betweens, too. Nothing can after the actual bone structure of your hand, but just as a full-moon face can be given an oval appearance by a skilful colffure and the right "surroundings," so can hands be improved.

The right gloves, a ring in a flattering shape, nails beautifully kept and filed to their party behaviour, skin smooth and firm-these make charm. Then bracelets must only be worn when they help the appearance and not when they hinder. Cuffs should enhance the shape of the wrist, for, mark you, there's no hiding your hands under a cloak of make-up.

Women with large hands (the capable kind which are nothing to be ashamed off) are wise if they avoid gloves which contrast sharply with their costume.

The time when white kid was essential for formal, occasions is mercifully past. Even at smart weddings few people wear these. Pearl grey or belge suede (so much

kinder to big hands), kid which matches the coat or, for younger girls, long kid gloves in frivolous stades to go with their frocks are smart and make the hands look sizes smaller, For day wear, gloves with elaborate stitchings, hugo gnuntlets or, indeed,



The lighter varnishes are fashionable this season.

GLOVES OFF

to show a Pretty

beauty's sake try it. Either rubber or cotton gloves will do, and you'll be surprised how soon you can get used to

Hand

. There are dozens of hand creams, jellies and lotions to help your skin, and if one doesn't suit, you, another will. Most people find that those containing glycerine do the trick, but it will not suit certain skins, so if your hands are fussy try one of the preparations made from

Did you know that there is now a

special pack for slimming the wrists?

It can be applied at home once or twice

weekly, the whole Job taking about flf-

teen minutes. And speaking of wrists

brings us to cuffs, which can also play

wide gauntlet affairs with large hands.

Have the neat, unobfrusive type, or

those which end in Jester points which

best place for your manicure outfit is

As to your nails, remember that the

Follow the rules for gloves, avoiding

their part in the "handy" story.

come an inch or so up the hand.

cucumber or other

suffer from lack of

nourishment, as 'their

natural olls are washed

away quite early in

life. What they want

is a good square meal

of rich face cream,

Nearly all hands

kindly agents.

Woll-made gloves are flattering to nicely kept hands. She wears pearl grey suede with

noat gauntiels. on inexpensive stones as they do on which will work in and feed them

during the night.

Now, a word about keeping your akin soft as a rose petal and firm as a schoolgirl's. Nothing gives a woman's nge away so easily as wrinkled hands, so keep Father Time in his place.

the diamonds from the mine.

Smooth Skin O matter what your job may be, it is possible to pre-

serve the hands. Wear gloves for rough work. Oh! yes. I know it is not as comfortable as working in bare hands, but for -

A natural polish is given to

on the bathroom shelf, where you won't forget to use it. "Little and often" is the best manicure slogan. A field-day once a month is not much good with-out small attentions in between.

Don't use worn-out manicure implements-orange sticks which went soft long ago or emery boards which haven't any emery left.

File your nails to suit the shape of the hand. A alight point will help short fingers, but refrain from talons like the pantomime witch in the mistaken notion that these give added length. Most mails look best filed to the shape

of the finger tip. Varnish can be pale and ethereal. glistening with a mother o' pearl sheen, shiny, but non-transparent (these are called "smoky varnishes"), or smartly

Colours range from natural to deep rust, taking in such shades as tulip, rose, light wine, shrimp, cyclamen, and bronze. The lighter colours win the fashion race in most quarters. Daring shades need dashing clothes, but they are fun for special occasions.

Varnish To Match

EE that your hands present a complete ensemble. Don't wear diamond rings and scarlet varnish with country gloves-it is like satin shoes and a tweed skirt. Removing the varnish put on for yesterday's party is the matter of a few moments. Give your nails a rest occasionally. Just polish them up with a buffer, and leave them to fresh air and Nature.

I am always glad to help any reader with her own beauty problems, so write to me: Daphne Earl, c/o the "Dally Herald," 72, Long Acre, London, W.C.2 Please enclose a stamped, addressed envelope for my reply,

minutes, then add an ounce of

grated cheese, salt and pepper and

cook for three minutes more, stir-

Have a small loin of pork very

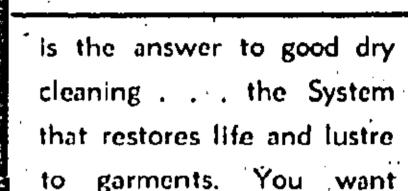
deeply scored and press some sage

and onion stuffing between the

ring all the time. Serve on toast.

nails with the aid of a buffer.

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MIX some cooked flaked white ANNE buttered scallop shells, cover with sugar, and stir in a tablespoon of buttered crumbs and bake.

Poutered crumbs and bake.

Brown 2lb, of lean yeal in 2oz, of butter, then brown a sliced carrot and a sliced onion. Season well, add half a cup each of milk and water and the juice of a small lemon, and cook very slowly for about three hours in a tightly coverage.

Sugar, and stir in a tablespoon of put in a hot oven for the first fifteen minutes to make the crackling brittle.

Stir over a low heat until it thickens, then beat in 2 egg yolks and the juice of the lemon. Cool, pour into a dish, and stir in lightly the stiffly whileped egg whites.

Brush with olive oil and put in a hot oven for the first fifteen minutes to make the crackling brittle.

Boil some potatoes in their skins, peel and chop, then fry with salt and pepper, some chopped parsley, and bacon fat until hot and browned pan. Rub the liquor and vege Savoury Loin of Pork—Apple Sauce. Chop a small tin of drained pine-tables through a strainer, reheat and Savoury Loin of Pork—Apple Sauce apple and make layers of pineapple serve round the meat.

Cover a cooked cauliflower with thin slices of Dutch cheese and brown in the oven.

Boil the thinly peeled rind of a lemon in a pint of water for ten minutes, then strain, add 3oz. of a beaten egg, simmer for five leave until quite cold.

two simple menus

scorings. Brush with olive oil and

Brussels Sprouts

and four ripe bananas thinly sliced, Pincapple and Banana Custard sprinkling each layer very lightly with sugar. Leave for half an hour, then cover with a pint of boiled egg U of butter for ten minutes, add custord, grate with nutmeg, and

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Seasonable Recipes

WITH a NUTTY B nuts contain a large amount FLAVOUR of oll they are one of the

I most nourishing vegetable Now is the nut-season, and it will be a pity if they are not used to make many delicious dishes and sweetments. Here are some good nutty recipes

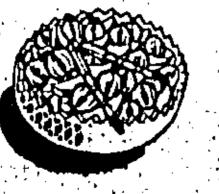
which will surely please your folk. Nut Bread

Bomething different for tea, and easily made. Break up 2 oz. shelled and peeled nuts and mix together with 3oz. sugar, 41b, flour, a teaspoonful of baking powder, and a pinch of sait. Mix to a stiff dough with a beaten egg and a 4 pint of milk, put into a greated tin and bake from 30 to 40

Sandwich Cake

Welcome at teatime as a pleasant Ingredients: 2 eggs, 40z_sugar, 40z. flour, two heaped tablespoonfuls of finely chopped nuts, a pinch of salt. Beat the eggs well, stir in the sleved caster sugar and whisk well. Add the chopped nuts to the sleved flour and

salt, then stir into the Pour into two buttered sandwich tins, and bake in n fairly hot oven for ten to Afteen minutes, Regulo 5. When cold, fill with cream filling with a dessertappoinful of chopped nuts added sweetened to taste.



decorate with halved walnuts.

Place the two sandwiches together, sprinkle the top with caster sugar, and Add to the Salad

with any trimmings which attract un-

Choose simple gloves in darkish

due attention, should be taboo for the

shades and go for beautiful cut and

fit—well-made gloves are as kind to

your hands as skilfully fitted court

shoes are flattering to your feet. Also, .

Small hands give more scope where

"pretties" are concerned, but take

heart-owing to the active lives wo

lead, not many people have hands

thick hand, which seems too broad

everywhere? Look for gloves which

have a close-fitting wrist and a long

narrow gauntlet. This at once gives

an illusion of added length to the whole

hand. Wide, gay gauntlets are nice

to-the-wrist gloves with one or two

buttons. These are a safe buy for most

people, but as there are few trimmings

to distract the eye, they must be well cut and in a good colour.

pliable and evenly dyed. "Patchy"

gloves wear badly and look worse!

Choose those in which the skins are

HERE is a tendency this

venr towards short, fitting-

Then, what about rings? When synthetic pearls and diamonds can be bought for a fraction of the cost charged

for the genuine article, there's no need to wait for Mr. Right to provide the first

A group of stones in a

pretty setting can help your hands tremendously. Give-

short fingers a "lengthen-

ing" ring in a delicate set-ting. Big hands should never

wear a tiny single-stone ring

-it looks incongruous-like a

wee star lost in a wide ex-

panse of sky. Have some-thing bolder and more in

keeping with the size of the

Remember that any ring worn on the first or second

finger is enlarging, and for

the little finger choose a de-

coration which is small and

-Bemi-precious stones in ex-

otle colourings can be had in beautifully designed settings

nowadays-in fact, jewellers

seem to lavish as much care

What about disguising the short

which can be considered really small.

large handed.

they wear better.

for slender hands.

Buttoned Wrists

. A pleasant extra in the salad to make it more substantial. Cut some cooked potatoes into dice, mix together with chopped apple and chopped nuts. Add seasoning and saind cream, and sprinkle with grated celery. Garnish with watercress and rings of hard-boiled egg.

Crisp Biscuits

These will appeal particularly to the children. Rub together 3oz. butter, 6oz. flour, 20z. sugar, 40z. minced nuts, and a broken egg. Roll out on a floured board, stamp with an-egg-cup into rounds, place on a greased tin, and bake. for a few minutes until slightly browned. Store in an airtight tin.

Date Puffs

and serve.

Roll out some puff pastry, cut into rounds, and in the centre put a little chopped nut, a sprinkling of caster sugar, and a stoned date with a few drops of lemon juice squeezed over, Moisten the edges and fold over, pinching the edges together. Brush over with a little sugar and milk, then bake in a very hot oven, Regulo 7.

Sprinkle with caster sugar

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FUSED WIRE CAUSED PALACE BLAZE

How A Famous Landmark Caught Fire

Site May Become Sports Stadium

FUSED electric wire, it is stated, caused the great blaze that sent the Crystal Palace crashing to its doom.

spotted the fusing," said Sir spotted the fusing," said Sir The Palace, costing £1,350,000 in Henry Buckland, general There is another £80,000 covered by policies held by companies that an officials' rest room behind traded inside the building. my offices, in practically the sands of pounds. All revenue, excentre of the palace.

"He saw a streak of flame running along the top of the room. The place was ablaze in a moment. The time was 7.25 p.m.

"I thought at first that gas was the cause. Now we know."

TOWERS INTACT

The result of that fused wire was the smoking pile of ruins that are now spread between the two towers,

still intact.

wreckere. I picked up the head of a statue. With a penny I induced a musical box to play.

piece of chocolate from a machine still warm from the overnight blaze.

Outside the derelict barricaded area probably 250,000 Londoners stood during the day to see what was left of their "old Palace"-more than ever paid to go in on any day during its life.

the crowds were almost uncontrolable. Traffic was in chaos, some of train services running an hour late.

Here are some fire "aftermaths".

200 of the workpeople permanently employed are to be retained for the present.

Four kittens, ten canaries, two parakeets were burned.

Minnie, resident cat, was saved by a fireman after she had made three attempts to return for her kittens.

Wear the Hosiery

That is Tested-Every

Stitch-for Strength

and Beauty.

"One of my staff firemen Gold-fish in the big tank were un-

Demolition work will cost thou-

cept for the car track, which opens to-morrow, will cease. The trustees face a financial crisis. It will be many months before new plans for the 200-acre site can be set going. When they are, the Palace

will become-A sports stadium, or A pleasure park, or

An exhibition ground, with new buildings. Discussing these possibilities Sir Henry Buckland said the trustees would meet soon at the Guildhall.

"At least two members of the Government-Lord Hailsham and Lord Plymouth-are among the trustees," he said." The site belongs to the I walked precariously among the nation for all time. Houses can never be built on it.

"The trustees have absolute authority, under Act of Parliament. to adopt any proper scheme for the For another penny I obtained a site. If a sports syndicate were formed, for instance, I am sure they would be glad to hear their plans."

Army Horses: Humanity Orders

the House of Commons that old Army So many people went there that horses serving abroad which were no longer of use would be brought home to Britain for disposal or painlessly destroyed under Army supervision.

local inhabitants abroad.

won his bet.

BET-DAMAGE



Photograph shows the enormous traffic which passes over the new San Francisco-Oakland Bridge. The photo was taken from Yerba Buena Island looking towards San Francisco.

An assurance has been given in French Navy Bans. All 'Fancy' Salutes

Paris, Dec. 20. Communist clenched fists and Sir Victor Warrender, Under- Fascist raised arms will no longer be. No Army horses would be sold to salute or gesture not authorised by Navy regulations.—Reuter.

Minden Mines, Dec. 1.

The Clue In The Pot Secretary for War, said that instructions to this effect had been issued. In the French Navy under tions to this effect had been issued. In order issued to-day banning any the berger would be rold to relate or gesture not putherised by

SUPERIN-DOLICE TENDENT LOVELL looked into the pot of ointment and found it had been pressed down on the

Two school boys disagreed. One said the little stream trickling [to]). down the gutter in the middle of town was water. The other thought He was examining the bedroom it was gasoline. They tossed a match into it. It was gasoline. of a man suspected of the theft of Damage to store fronts totalled approximately \$5,000 when a sheet of a diamond and platinum ring and slame ran up the gutter to a truck where a driver was draining what he had found the cintment pot in a he thought was water from the truck tank. Anyway, the second boy suitease.

Superintendent Says—

His suspicions aroused, the super-intendent put his hand in the ointment and felt something hard. He Gardens, Kensington, recently. drew the article out and, according to his statement, it was the stolen

Superintendent Lovell demonstrated his search for the ring with Scher, heard a shot, called the police. a borrowed penknife and an ointment pot at Dorchester Police Court when Percival Charles Tamaradge, of Hillingdon St. Walworth, SE, was committed for trial at Dorchester Sessions on a charge of stealing the ting from a Dorchester landingy.

MRS. JILL WYNDHAM SUES

CO-FLIER Mrs. Jill Wyndham, young airwoman who broke a Capetown-London air record last November, has

arrangements for the flight. On Armistice Day last year Mrs. marriage. Wyndhum and Flying Officer

the last lap of the flight. The writ for the action has been companied by her husband. served on behalf of Mrs. Wyndham Mr. H. Curry, for the husband, said by Mr. J. Thompson Halsall, Bed- the wife wanted to lead a gay life Yord Row, WCI. Messrs. W. R. and was not prepared to accept Bennett and Co. have entered an minor restrictions. appearance on behalf of Flying . The Bench granted a separation Officer Llewellyn.

so received a shock.

effect of the fall from the parapet, which was 21 feet high. Asked that night if he still had his daughter, Stepney said to the police: "I have killed my baby. I threw it over the bridge at Love Lane, Blackheath. I could not afford to keep

The baby bore no signs of the

strike through her."

UNDER

SEVERAL

TRAINS

Father Jailed

month for attempted murder.

Shock For Rescuer

the live rail.

Mr. Mervyn Griffith Jones, who de-fended, said that financial difficulties had preyed upon Stepney to such an extent that when he committed the nct he had for the moment lost his power of reason.

Mr. Justice Singleton, passing senence, said: "It is a mercy indeed that the child was not killed. No words of mine can describe in sufficlent terms the abominable act which you committed."

EX-NAVAL **ATTACHE** SHOT

CAPTAIN GEOFFREY STEWART U FLEETWOOD-NASH, retired naval officer, former naval attache at the British Embassy in Berlin, was found shot in his flat at Lexham He had been out in his car in the

morning, returned at midday, went into the drawing-room, locking the door behind him. His German housekeeper, Fraulein

Police forced the door, found Captain Fleetwood-Nash lying with a service rifle between his

Fraulein Scher said that Captain Fleetwood-Nash lived alone. She added: "He had no love affairs and so far as I know he had no debts." Captain Fleetwood-Nash command-ed the destroyers Llewellyn (Harwich Force) and Radiant during the war.

9 p.m. CURFEW ON A WIFE

Imposed By Husband's Stepfather

started High Court proceedings against her companion on the flight, Flying Officer David Liewellyn, son of Sir William Liewellyn, president of the Royal Academy.

Durham, Dec. 21.

Sarah Wilson, aged 31, of Elvet Bridge, Durham, suing to-day for a separation allowance, was stated to have been ordered a 9 p.m. "curfew" The dispute arises out of the by her husband's stepfather with whom they stayed shortly after

She found herself back in the Liewellyn forced their way across Middle Ages said her solicitor.

Europe through 1,000 miles of fog The stepfather wanted to "rule and clouds to snatch the record on the roost" and would not let her slay out after 9 p.m., even when ac-

allowance of 5s. a week.

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One million Ordinary stock units of Morris Motors, Ltd., have been presented to create a trust fund for workers' pensions. Lord Nuffeld has made it plain that his latest gift was for the

and not of the salaried staff. Officials already have their pensions fund. "I have given much thought ,to the establishment of a scheme where-

by wage-earners might share in the prosperity of the business.

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Mr. A. E. Keen will be chairman, and Mr. B. Seward secretary, of the

Oxford fund. Lord Nuffield's latest gift means that in the last ten years he has given away £5,385,000. His recent gift of £2,000,000 for

Her Passion For Bridge Cost Her Life

Gycer (Hungary), Dec. 24. MARS. LAZAR HERBI, young IVI wife of a Gycer lawyer,

bridge clubs, neglected her home and children. divorce. The court to-day granted him a decree.

became a bridge flend two years She spent all her evenings in

Mr. Herbi filed a suit for Wilen Mrs. Herbi heard the verdict she went home and shot

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J. ANDERSON BIG GATHERING AT **FUNERAL**

The remnins of the late Mrs. E. Anderson were cremated at the Japanese Crematorium, Sookunpoo, on Saturday afternoon, following a funeral service at the Chapel of the Protestant Cemetery, Happy Valley, which was conducted by the Rev. J. D. MacLean, pastor of the Kowloon Union Church.

On arrival at the entrance to the cemetery, the coffin was borne to the Chapel by Messrs. J. H. S. Duncan, P. Grant, G. Angus, H. Angus, J.C.M Grenham and R.M. Pearce. The chief mourners were the

Costello, Mr. D. J. Crozier, Mr. R. J. the visitor of the truth. M. Darnley, Mrs. L. C. Dennis, Mr. Gerondal, Mrs. P. Grant, Miss E. liouse selected at random. Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hospes, Mr. S. R. ants of Hongkong realises the abject Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Lovett, poverty which prevalls in the New Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Logan, Mr. E. O. Territories. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ramsay,

Misses Aileen and Doris Woods. tributes, including those from "Loving | when the mothers cannot feed them and Heartbroken Husband, Jack." "Nadia and Jack," "Clarice, Pamela and George," "Jean and Jimmy," "May, Percy and family," "Stanley, Ella, Helen and Joyce," "Her Loving

"Sisters at Home.":

R. E. Leigh Beten, Mr. A. W. Black, mus) are all too numerous. M. W. Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. W. | domen, inflicted by parents in order Bruce and Shella, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. to exorcise some devil (allment). Cace, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Clarke, whereas careful nursing and feeding Miss M. Clark and Miss E. Hadley, were what were needed. Mr. R. J. M. Darnley, Capt. and Mrs. Jean and George Harris, Mr. and a corner seat. Mrs. A. E. Jeffries, Mr. A. C. John-

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Silkstone, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Sim-

L. M. de Souza, Mr. M. M. de V.

Soares, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stone,

and Grist; and many others. Gunner R. Saunders The late Gunner R. Saunders, who "died in the Military Hospital carly on Saturday morning, was buried at the Protestant Cemetery, Happy Valley,

the same afternoon, with full military honours. The funeral procession lined up in Morrison Gap Road and marched in slow time to the cemetery, where the Rev. K. Mackenzie Dow conducted the service. The pall-bearers and firing party were from the 20th.

Heavy Battery, R.A., and the Band was from the Royal Ulster Rifles. Besides a representative party from the 20th, and 24th. Heavy Batteries, officers present at the funeral included Major, F. L. L. F. Roupell, R.A., Major R. C. Gill, R.A., Captain W F. Rycroft, R.A., Licut J. T. Marsh, R.A., 2nd. Lleut. J. W. D. Symonds, R.A., and Lieut. Devonport, R.A.

Floral tributes were sent from H. E. Major-General A. W. Bartho-lomew, Major and Mrs. F. L. L. F. Roupell, Major and Mrs. R C. Gill, Captain and Mrs. W. F. Rycroft, Lieut. J. T. Marsh, Lieut. J. W. D. Symons: Headquarters Royal Artilley, China Command; Officers' Mess, Stonecutters; Officers and Men 12th Battery; Sergeants' Mess, Stonecutters; Junior N.C.O's Stonecutters; All ranks, 8th. Brigade, 24th. Battery and 20th. Battery.

Deceased, who was 22 years old was admitted to the Military Hospital last week suffering from pneumonia. He was the outstanding sportsman of the Battery and had in the past represented his unit in most sports. He was due to leave for home by the next troopship, having been in the Colony for the past three years.

Mrs. Josephine Black The Rev. L. L. Nash officiated at day, of Mrs. Josephine Black, who little more. died at her residence, No. 97 Lockhart Road, Wanchal, on Friday,

The chief mourners were her son, Mr. A. P. Black, and her daughterin-law. Mr. Black is connected with the Vehicular Ferry Company. Deceased is survived, by, daughter at present in Nanking.

Mr. J. H. Da Silva The Portuguese community has suffered a loss by the death of Mr. Jorge Honorlo da Silva, which occurred at his residence. 151 Tam Kung Road, Kowloon City, yester-day, at the ripe age of 81 years. The late Mr. du Silva is well known to the scafaring community, and had well earned retirement from service and Miss Marie da Silva. at Holt's Wharf.

G. da Silva; the well-known Club de 5.15.

CORRESPONDENCE Re Hungry Babies: An

To the Editor. Hongkong Telegraph.

Sir,—I have perused with much interest and concern the letter on the above-mentioned subject and, without wishing to discount the excellent work performed by the Women's Auxiliary Committee of the Society for the Protection of Children, infer that the writers overlook the fact that the New Territories are part and parcel of the Colony of Hongkong. In all sincerity I am led to ask

what is being done for the parents husband, Mr. J. L. Anderson, and and children there, where poverty is Mr. and Mrs. B. Wylic. Amongst the rampant, life extremely hard, unlarge gathering present were also Mr. | wanted children by the score, and E. J. Ainslie, Mr. A. W. Black, Mrs. houses of a very inferior type-mud room, constant hot water, ample W. Baxter, Mrs. C. H. Benson, Mr. W. or palm leaf walls with interiors Bruce, Mrs. M. W. Brenman, Mr. L. dark, dirty, and desolate. A walk J. Cave, Miss M. Clark, Mrs. G. E. through the villages, will convince

A high-placed official of and Mrs. J. H. S. Duncan, Mr. and Colonial Office (London) is reputed Mirs. G. Ducios, Mr. H. J. Fountain, to have ejaculated "My God" on Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fraser, Mrs. viewing the interior of one such Not one in ten thousand inhabit-

poverty stricken to afford any such Major F. L. L. F. Roupell, R.A., Mr. | adjuncts to bubyhood as the word | which they could see about them in M. M. de V. Soares, Mrs. Sharpham, "Cradle" implies. Bables are born. Rev. F. Short, Mr. R. Taylor, Mr. J. but only the sturdy survive. Baby D. Thomson, Mrs. Tipple and the clothes for the new arrival are mostly dirty rags and cast off gar-There was a large number of floral | ments. What happens to the bables with nature's supply? The answer

is, "sold," "given away" or "other-| wise disposed of". The price of milk and milk-foods and the bare necessities of baby life are beyond the reach of the ma-Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ainslie, Mrs. jority—cases of mainutrition (maras-

Not only is this too true, but

Then there are the boat people G. F. Dent, Mr. A. K. Dimond, Helen | who frequent the creeks in distant and Cubby Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. C. places. Have they been given a L. Furmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fer- thought, or been catered for in any guson, Mr. F. K. Garton, Mr. and measure? Many a time have I near-Mrs. J. Grady, Mr. and Mrs. Peter ly sat on an indistinguishable bundle Grant, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hall, of humanity, rolled up and placed on

Under the banner of the blessed stone, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kemp, Mr. St. John of Jerusalem, an epic and Miss Kershaw, Miss M. Kirk- struggle is being waged to cater for wood, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawson, and cope with the needs of our New Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Lovett, Mr. and | Territories subjects, but sad to re-Mrs. Mackinlosh, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. late, unless a larger measure of Meyer, Stella and Roland Pearce, financial support is forthcoming for Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pepper, Mr. and | "relief" in the New Territories, much Mrs. R. Pestonji, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. of the charitable work must die of Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. R. Rathnell, inaultion, a calemity in itself, but Miss A. S. Rogers, Major and Mrs. | more so to those who will suffer in i consequence.

"Can any good come out of the Frank Short, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. New Territories"? "Come and See"

S. S. St. J.

YOUR FEAR

(Continued from Page 8.)

that does not constitute war. husband, the great promoter of the dangerous to the security of the words to section 31 (1) of the the present embarrassing situation | Section 4 (1) (c) of the principal able a magistrate to authorize the in which the Geneva Institution Ordinance enables the Governor, or scaling up of appuratus in cases finds itself. I am sure that his any officer specially authorised in where he does not think it necessary action would have been to launch that behalf by the Governor, to order to authorize its seizure. a great campaign against Fear—for the stoppage of messages only on As the provisions of an Internait is solely fear that is at the root the occurrence of any public tional Convention are in question the of all the trouble.

Attacking in Self-Defence

"Yes, that I am sure would have been Nansen's task if he had lived to-day. All evil comes from fear. The great countries of the world look at each other face to face and shudder, each wondering when the other will spring to tear out his throat. In the end each country comes to the conclusion that the best defence is attack, and then one nation after another is dragged into the marlstrom.

"From the eternal panic of nations fearing an attack has grown the urge to attack. It is fear which has paralysed the League of Nations. Fear has so engulfed it that it seems even to itself that it no longer has any right to exist.

"I have been asked if I believe it possible for the League of Nations to be saved. As to that, I will recall a favourite saying of my husband's, Difficulties require a long time to put right—but the impossible requires a little longer!' If he knew that the League were faced with the present critical situation I believed he would repeat those words; after all, he was one of the leaders through whose faith the League was created. Might not the words that he left behind him be the means of saving it? The work of peace requires much time, patience, and understanding; the task of resthe funeral, at the Protestant cuing the League and making it a real Cemetery, Happy Valley, on Satur- | world force for peace requires still a

> "I firmly believe that there are many men of good will in the ranks of every nation and that these are eager for the opportunities to make friends with those around them, but it is the storm-clouds of fear sweeping over the horizon which makes them despair. Can no man living find some remedy for this Fear?"

Recrelo and Interport lawn bowler. The late Mr. da Silva is survived by five sons and a daughter these being Mr. G. H. da Silva and Mr. C. G. da Silva of the Hongkong Electric Company, Mr. A. L. da Silva of the been employed as an engineer for Chartered Bank, Mr. G. F. da Silva some 40 years. He had been in bad of the Macoo Electric Co., Mr. A. F. health for a long period, after a da Sliva of the General Electric Co.

The funeral will take place this Deceased is the father of Mr. C. afternoon, passing the Monument at

CATHEDRAL SUNDAY

VISITING PRELATE PREACHES ON SAINTS' INSPIRATION

John the Evangelist, was marked at military adviser to Marshal the Right Reverend Neel Hudson, Chiang Kai-shek's Nanking Bishop of Labuan and Sarawak, forces but later returned to taking the morning services. Bishop Germany owing to ill-health. vacation in the Colony, preached a Reuter, sermon on the world transcending body of Christ's Church, and called upon his listeners to "keep their

saints' days." the unpopularity, weakness and in- his time. effectiveness of the Church in their In replying as he did Gladstone

probably meant a great deal, continued the preacher. First he meant to sound a note of encouragement, strength but were members of great, invincible and divine soc cty. Secondly, said Bishop Hudson, he perhaps meant them to look around and see the divisions of all kinds which are apparent in the world to-Territories.

Cradies—the peasantry are too They would see in themselves the establishment in years to come. chaos, confusion and hopelessness the world. He reminded them in those four words that they should remember our abiding membership with the divine and transcending | Wilhelm, body and become conscious of our common vocation and discipleship, and that we are all called to the same task.

> Thirdly, Gladstone probably had in his mind that the saints of all ages have the great power to love and thereby cast out fear. We toof the saints to see a real belief in in 1914 and Chief of the General the power of God.

DANGEROUS MESSAGES OFFICIAL POWER TO REFUSE TRANSMISSION

the draft of a proposed Telecommunication Amendment Ordinance,

national Telecommunication Con-public order or decency. vention of Madrid, 1932, the Contracting Governments reserve to to public order or decency, subject (1)(b) and (c). course, at times the international to the obligation to notify the office | Clause 2 of this amending Bill police may be required to act of origin immediately of the stop- accordingly repeals sub-section (2) against some offending nation, but page of the said communication or of section 4 and substitutes two subany part of it, except when the issue sections which deal with these points. "I have been asked what my of such notification may appear | Clause 3 of the Bill adds three

> emergency or in the interest of Bill contains a suspending clause as public safety. It does not deal with required by Article XXVI 6 of the

FAMOUS GENERAL PASSES

(Continued from Page 1.)

Cothedral Sunday, the day of St. came to the Far East as chief

Known as the man who started Germany along the road to military recovery after the Great War, author The coiner of the phrase, said the of several authoritative books on Bishop, was Gladstone, who had military strategy, and on the future been approached by some members of Germany's armed forces, General of the Church in Wales and asked von Seeckt was universally regarded what they should do in the face of as one of the outstanding soldiers of

MODERNISED ARMIES

When the Versailles Treaty imposed restrictions on the German post-war army, it was General von Seeckt who adroitly made Germany's military to remind them that they were not a forces the most efficient of their size minority fighting in their own in the world. His ex-enemies had successfully insisted that universal conscription be abolished in Germany and that the German army be limited to 100,000, including officers. General von Seeckt thereupon trained an day, and which, when they looked army of 100,000 specialists, the frame-

> On October 5, 1925, General von Secekt resigned the enlef command of his country's armed forces, owing to the participation of the German ev-Crown Prince's eldest son, at regular army manocuvres. The Versailles Treaty explicitly forbade the enrolment of members of the Hohenzollern family in the German army,

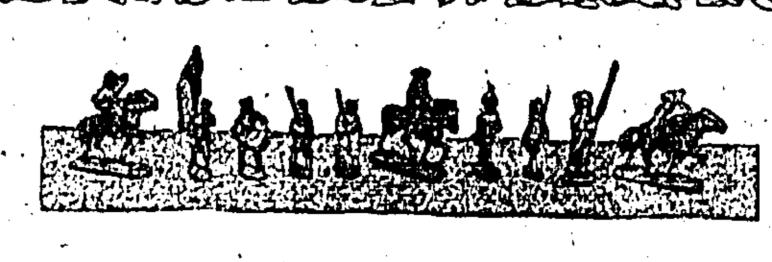
HIS CAREER

General von Seeckt was born in day are set about with many fears, Schleswig on April 22, 1860, and said the Bishop, fear of our frailty, entering on a military career at an fear of public opionion, fear of the early age, showed such brilliance that cost in which we will be involved if he was posted to the General Staff in we commit ourselves, and fear of the German Army in 1897. Of his failure. We should, however, see war services it is sufficient to say again and make our own the power | that, starting as a Lieutenant-Colonel Staff of the Third (Brandenburg) "As on the first Christmas when Army, which formed part of Christ came down from Heaven to General von Kluck's First Army at take on his shoulders all our sins, Mons and Villers Coteret, he rose to still to-day God is willing to respond be Chief of the General Staff of Field to all our calls for help, and I sug- Marshal von Mackensen and, later, gest that we go out on a new pil- to the Turkish Army in the field. grimage, newly conscious of your | Under Mackensen he was responsible high mission and your own high for the plans which broke the Russian possibilities," concluded the Bishop. | front at Gorlice and led to the fall of Przemysl, Ivangorod, Lemberg, Warsaw and Brest Litovsk. For that he was promoted General. He then proceeded with Mackensen to overrun Serbia with the Bulgarian Army as allies. Again he was called upon to deal with Russia when, as Chief of the General Staff to the Archduke Karl (afterwards Emperor) of The Government Gazette contains Austria, he brought Brussiloff's offensive to a halt.

Under Article 26 of the Inter- laws of the Colony or contrary to

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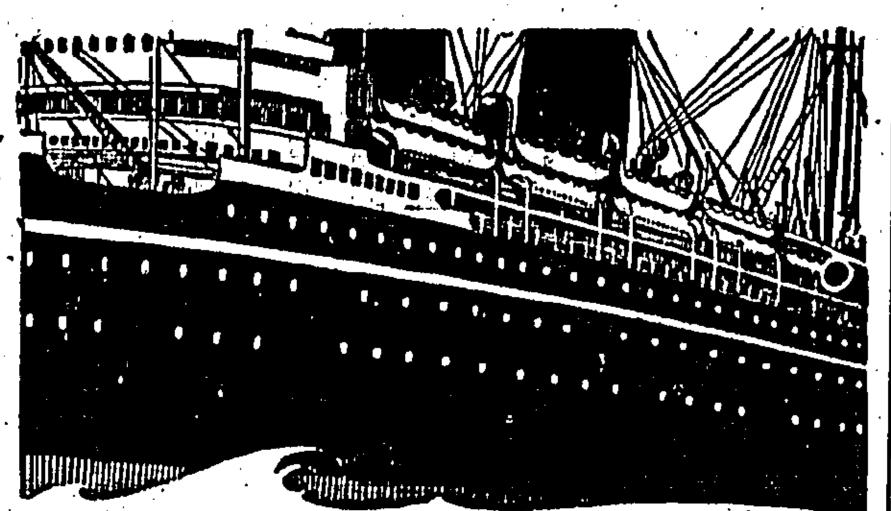
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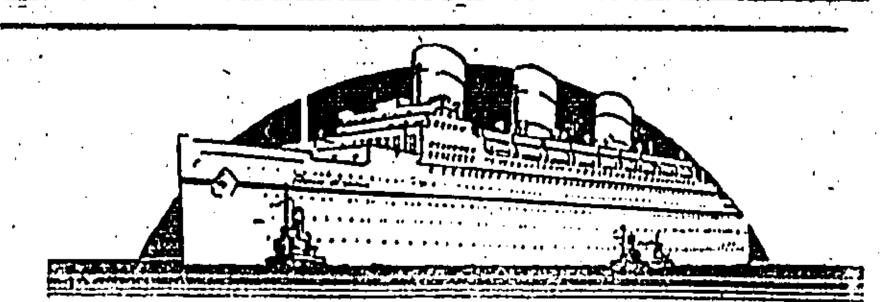
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CINEMA NOTES

Alaska, . . . seal podching . . . the adventures of the United States "different" in screen stories, for Universal's "The Sea Spollers," showing to-day at the Alhambra Theatre. Besides these refreshing clements of story theme and background, "The Sea Spoilers," offers John Wayne in his first starring role under the Universal banner. The breaking up of a reientless ring of seal poschers, on the world famous seal rookerles of Pribiloff Islands, is the central theme of the story. While John Wayne, its Commander While John Wayne, its Commander plan for nationalisation of the of England, the poachers, his sweetheart, played the matter of recognization of subject to the open control of the open co the poachers, his sweetheart, played by Nan Grey, is kidnapped and held hostage by the gang. John Wayne faces tests of courage and wins promotion through his thrilling exploits. The final struggle to capture the stronghold of the poachers is set to exciting tempo of a pitched battle.

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The question of reorganisation of subject to recurring attacks of the malaria and I dreaded the approach of symptoms foretelling an attack. I possis for strengthening diplomacy, increasing foreign trade, spreading the tax burden equitably over the exciting tempo of a pitched battle.

The question of reorganisation of subject to recurring attacks of the malaria and I dreaded the approach extent will be debated, as will prosuffered from chills, my appetite increasing foreign trade, spreading the tax burden equitably over the entire population, and enhancing the went on until I became almost a complete went o Besides Miss Grey as his leading comfort and general welfare of the complete mental and physical wreck, lady, there is a supporting cast people. which includes Fuzzy Knight, After the Emperor had left, both by Stuart and Dorrell McGowan. to the Imperial rescript.

tion, Chaplin's first pleture in almost United Press. five years is also his most pretentious. Like its predecessor, "City Lights," "Modern Times" is without it and finds herself under arrest. dialogue, but boasts some novel Then comes the dilemma. Should pills, my health was completely sound effects. The girl, a gamin of the fight for her freedom? If the restored. Now I feel stronger than I the water front to whom Charlie does her tawdry past is sure to he have done for years, and am able to plays knight errant, is played by Chaplin's lovely new leading lady, Paulette Goddard, who has been pronounced a genuine screen find. Others in the east are Chester Conklin, Henry Bergman and Hank Mann. "Modern Times" is released through United Artists.

does her tawdry past is sure to be revealed and, more important, the enjoy life again. I cannot say how grateful I am to Dr. Williams' pink pills, and I shall recommend them without hesitation."

Dr. Williams' pink pills are equally good for both sexes and have proved a priceless boon to thousands of runting boy and girl. Isabel Jewell.

juli on the one hand, or dishonour little Jackie Moran and Charlene in the eyes of two children who, she Wyatt as the boy and girl as adopted and brought up as her own children. The film was directed by on the picture "Valiant is The Word Wesley Ruggles. for Carrie," which is showing to-day at the Queen's Theatre: Taken from Barry Benefield's best-selling novel, and introducing Gladys George, surrection through mother-love and the great sacrifice she is willing to undergo in payment for the bor-rowed happiness which was hers in bringing up the children. Carrie bringing up the children. Carrie brothers down the bothers down the brothers down the brother Snyder, played by Miss George, is brothers—lean, whimsical "Alf," and the able direction of Harry a woman of dubious background fat, pompous "Bert," in a series of Lachman. Many of the pretentious who adopts two waits as her own, episodes so natural and riotously sets for the glamorous and Through them she finds love and funny that the audience is intrigued spectacular scenes would serve because of them she gives up her and kept in a constant state of ex-appropriately, enough for a former life. The years roll on. The pectation. It is the famous fun dramatic performance. The musical move has to be made. Carrie makes tions," a screen play suggested by a grand evening's entertainment.

DIET IN SESSION

FORMAL OPENING BY THE · JAPANESE EMPEROR

Tokyo, Dec. 26, The Diet was formally opened to-day by the Japanese Emperor, Guard. These are the principal cle-ments that comprise something Generalissimo. He proceeded to the Crowden, now residing at 40, Broad new Diet Building in a carriage Oak-road, St. Helens, to a newspaper drawn by four horses. After read- reporter. "My husband is a trainer showing to-day at the Alhambra ing the rescript he returned to the of racehorses, and he has controlled

"Our Relations" Theore-goers, enjoying through the years the side-splitting effusious W. W. Jacobs' short story, "The and the rib-tickling screen fantasics Money Box," is to be classed as the

Why She Left The East.

Englishwoman Tells Of Penalties Of Life Abroad

"I have travelled over the greater

"After my return, however, I was and didn't even wish to live.

"Then one day a booklet came into William Bakewell and Russel Hicks. houses of the Diet appointed mem- my hands describing how many suf-Frank Strayer directed from a story bers of the committee that will reply ferers from debility and other ail-All of the Diet members had not Williams' pink pills, and I deter-

gradual and certain. I regained my strength, and I could eat my food and enjoy it. By the time I had

hrough United Artists.

"Valiant is the Word for Carrie"

A dilemma faced by a woman—
will on the one hand, or dishonour of the boy and girl, Isabel Jewell, down, nervy men and women because William Collier, Sr., John Wray, and gives new life and energy to the whole system. Owing to climatic conditions Dr. Williams' pink pills are packed in hermetically scaled glass containers for sale in the Far East. From chemists everywhere,

famous stage actress, to the screen, and the rib-tickling screen fantasics. Money Box," is to be classed as the "Valiant Is The Word For Carrie" is of Laurel and Hardy rub their eyes best vehicle they have ever steered a powerful story of a woman's re- of mirth and wonderment at the to universal favour. It is a Stan peace and happiness of her little team's first essay of dual roles in a score by Leroy. Shield hits a household are threatened. A bold full-length feature and "Our Rela- humorous yet tuneful note to add to

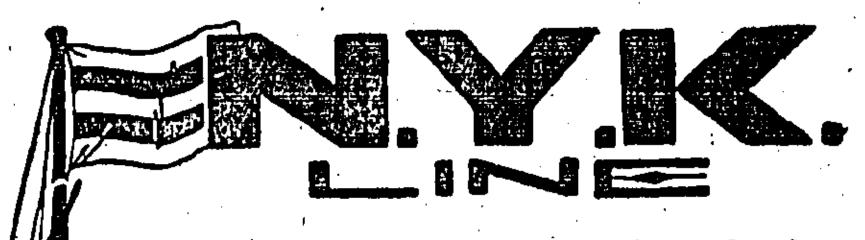
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MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1936.

WHO WANTS WAR?

It was refreshing to read of a speech made some few weeks ago by Dr. Goebbels, the German Minister of Propaganda, in which he severely condemned those who chatter irresponsibly of a coming war. Such talk, he said, made him almost des- growing list of contempair for the future of Europe, porary exiles. adding that no nation wanted war but only demanded it when of things for this latest republic opinion agitated for it. cruits — whether he is countries to-day in which public be rash to prophesy, yet one one." manded from above, the people not being permitted to think or speak for themselves. It can thus be argued that such people vill demand war when their Governments' tell them to demand it, by working them up to a pitch of patriotic fervour, or alised apartments at Buckinghatred of one nation or group of nations, which in the long run must lead to hostilities. Therefore, a tremendous responsibility rests on the Governments of totalitarian States, to see that the utterances and action of their leaders do not produce mass feeling conducive to the outbreak of war. It is, Rome. we believe, perfectly true, as Dr. Goebbels remarked, that the people of Europe want to live ONE who has now done more than ten years of St.-Helenain peace, but when Governments constantly talk and think in terms envisaging a possible war, a definite danger does arise. As we survey world conditions today, and note the wave of unrest and suspicion which is almost everywhere apparent, it difficult to escape the conclusion that the responsibility for this unhappy state of affairs lies primarily with Governments, and not neonles. The question of the state of the state of the state of the state of affairs lies of the state of affairs lies of Nations appears to be succumbing under a sea of troubles, a widow, who has lived with her young son in an obscure Norwegian otherwise. Krim would be betand not peoples. The question of pence or war thus rests on statesmen. Given a universal that persistence in this kind of place on a seemingly sure footing. will, by all Governments, never policy may eventually lead to a to resort to war if there are major world conflict. Happily, Knowing her to be a woman of great other means available for the at the moment there does not with much of the indomitable spirit When the call reached settlement of differences, there seem to be any real threat of is that, despite all the there is general evidence machinery which has been the same determination being hotel, she was accompanied by her "The Awful Menace" created for the purpose of avoid- applied to positive peace efforts almost miraculous beauty. ing war, nations are disposed to as to the building up of arma-

even ignoring the possibility may never arise.

ter far out of the way, on the Author of "Crazyways, Europe"

HE arrival of the ex-

King in Italy-adds a

further name to the

the £50,000 per annum which

will be granted by Parliament.

Others have fiared worse

Take the once-feted ex-King of

Afghanistan. One year Amanul-

lah was staying in Orient-

ham Palace; the next, he and

his consort were outcasts on

Lake : Geneva, magnetic point

Since then Amanullah sincere-

ly tried to earn a livelihood.

Among other things he was an

house agent. But he was not

(apparently built that way, and

to-day lives very modestly in

Lord of the Riffs

like exile is Abd-el-Krim, the

tough old Riffian who, after

running the Spaniards into the

Mediterranean, was to cause

France's admirable Moroccan

forces much worry before finally

Marshal Petain disposed of him.

plored his captors that he be

allowed to stay on in his native

hills: he would never give

Krim surrendered, and im-

for exiles past and present.

Exiled Royalty: Below-Archduke Otto, Hapsburg claimant to

the Austrian throne, in Hungarian gala dress, Lentre-his

mother, ex-Empress Zita, and, right -the Old Etonian

ex-King of Signs, who prefers retirement in Surrey to

. the troubles of a throne.

oifspring, and attendants. Just what will be the run namely, that there are many climatic retreat—it would tween a Riviera luxury-hotel and the whole floor of a Swiss

personal fortune in addition to hours in which to leave Stamboul. The party of sixteen and daughters arrived Montreux without the proverbial months "in pawn" there until funds were forthcoming.

ABDUL, a jaunty septuagen- vis-a-vis Egypt. on the strength of several one unmarried daughter.

ingly provided fortitude, plus nearly six years.

that William II. will read the down to the Black Sea; Malta, revolution.

Isle de Reunion, in the Indian prayers to his tiny staff and Ocean, in which tropical spot he Prussian Court-in-exile to the remains, surrounded by wives, end.

The writer once had to buy a chop less and less wood and tend box of paints for an exile, the more and more his roses until ex-Caliph. At the time of his the day when (to transcribe a exit from the Bosphorus (1924) phrase of his own) he journeys one read that "Abdul Medjid's to Potsdam, for the last time, personal belongings filled a neet "in a wooden box." But he will There is a point, however, which destined to hold; the stage of formes" and that "the last of have lived to see Germany is most pertinent to this issue, or to fade out in some the Caliphs flits to and tro be-powerful again.

RULERS in EXILE

-and how they live

termined: he will not want. ferent. Mustapha Kemal gave Abdul fers Surrey to Bangkok, osten-SHALL this family's exile Ex-King Edward has a large 500 pounds Turkish and six sibly because he wished sons, secretaries, wives (four), possibly also on account of a ing official occasions in Vienna? bean and had to remain two China can go most places, as pre-war normal, yet constitutes

Caliph and Kaiser

panion in "the Empress."

Ferdinand

Tuohy,

As the Dutch squire he will

Exile Preferred

opinion is cultivated or com- aspect seems already de- "The facts were slightly dif- A that of the abdicated Old retain the power of life and finished already, since has not death over his subjects, but at falling royal barometer at home.

Japanese puppet in Manchukuo, only half the story in 1986. save to his native land, a con. There are exiles in other dition that also applies to the spheres.

Empress Zita of Austria and her knuckle under to Social-De-William II. will this winter family of eight should make mocracy.

There's slim chance now but in a British monitor and carried International directed at world

Gibraltar; Lake Geneva (whence two attempts to regain the throne of Hungary); Funchal, poverty, and the death of Karl; years of family kindergarten in Spanish fishing village near Santander, with just sufficient funds to keep going; then the haven in Belgium, and the gradually increasing importance of Otto internationally.

Hapsburg Changes

the eldest daughter been attend-Such a list as the foregoing The ex-Emperor Pu Yi of is already double or treble the

ex-Khedive, Abbas Hilmi II., To mention but two: Alexander Kerensky lives the difficult arian, spends his evening Ex-King Alfonso of Spain has life of a free-lance journalist in between Nice and Aix-les-Bains, now made a base in Rome, with Paris, even at this time of day still hopeful that Communism thousand a year put up by The odyssey of the ex-will eventually be obliged to

complete 18 years in Holland, good memoirs one day. Sten- Delicate, but more brilliant where he still seems to be go- nockerzeele, a turreted and than ever, Leon Trotaky is ing strong. Zeal for religion, monted, grim Flemish chateau currently moored in Scandinavia. carrying an unweavering belief near Brussels, has by much He has not wasted his days in in his Divine Right, has seem- been their longest fixed point: exile, having completed one of the greatest histories ever the luck of a second good com- Previously, what a nomadic written before settling down to struggle it had been! Rescued the planning of his Fourth

FORGET YOUR FEAR

farmstead, has abandoned her quiet life to aid the League, which Nansen, her husband, did so much to To the lonely Norwegian farm came a letter from Lord Cecil foresight and experience, imbued husband's most devoted of the great Nansen, and fully thought that I had heard Nansen's should selfishly pursue our private understanding his ideals, he appealed voice urging me to start for Bruscould be no question of peace war, but the situation will never to her to return to aid the cause her sels, so as to bring my modest that surrounds us. husband loved so well. In Brussels contribution to the great task of , "Nansen hated w being endangered. The trouble be wholly satisfactory until she gave me an interview, the first peace. Yesterday for the first time hope in the League of Nations. He interview, I believe, that she has in my life I spoke in public.

> fourteen-years-old son, a boy of come here. He was one of my fight for peace.

In an interview with Mrs. Fridtjof

"I have come to Brussels to Nansen would have said had he crime of war, he was always thinkproclaim to the world that one must been alive. The characteristic feature ing of the aggression's war. When go their own way, thinking sole- ments in preparation for con- not lose courage," said Mrs. Nansen of Nansen was this—he was never the League of Nations has become of benefits to themselves, tingencies which, it is hoped, that I have come back into society, set out to explore the Arctic regions; do, then there will be no more wars on ignoring the possibility may never arise.

It was Lord Cecil that asked me to nor when he entered the field to the fiel

"To drive away fear from human-

woman and nothing more. I used to go with him everywhere and grew to know a lot about political life, but I never mixed in it myself. And to-day I should not have left my little form near Oslo; if the feeling had not come over me that me. I at present it is wrong that we lives ignoring the awful menace

, "Nansen hated war and put great foresaw that to keep peace it would one day be necessary for the world to go to war. But Nansen only talked of war of aggression. When "I tried to say something that he talked of the horror of war, the

(Continued on Page 4.)



MEN'S WEAR DEPT

Only Case That Ever Kept Me Awake'-Lord Hewart

MURDER DRAMA OF GOLD HIDDEN IN KNOB OF BED

ORD HEWART, Lord Chief Justice, recently revealed.

- 1. The drama behind the cold phrase you read in every murder
- trial report-"Counsel for the prosecution." 2. The drama behind a murder trial of two youths 22 years ago

-"the only case that ever kept me awake."

The drama behind the abandonment of the younger boy's appeal against a penal servitude sentence as an accessory after the facts.

22 YEARS AGO-

CEORGE BALL, 22 years old, was hanged at Walton Jail. Liverpool, in February 1914, for the murder of Miss Christina Catherine Bradfield, whose body was placed in a sack and thrown into a Liverpool canal.

18, was sentenced to penal the actors were themselves. servitude for four years as an accessory after the fact.

Piercing Eyes Are A Myth

Decio, Dec. 15.

The belief that eagles are gifted with piercing eyes, and hence with an exceptionally strong eyesight, seems to be a legend.

Here's a story which tells why:-A royal eagle frightened by the rifle shots of alpine game hunters flew down the valley in search of a more secure refuge.

Passing over the village of Paina, the bird sighted what she thought may know, perhaps, that both sides was a chicken flying above the in a proper case may give additional houses. Scenting a good prey, the evidence there—I had the disagreeeagle swooped down with full wings and swift spirals, and began to beak furlously at the supposed prey. The one-sided fight lasted several minutes "and ended with the royal bird getting groggy, and with barely enough strength left to seek refuge in a bell-tower situated close to the scene of the fight.

The engle had mistaken for a live chicken the metal weathercock which for centuries had been revolving on top of the church spire.

The disappointed bird came to still Hewart dramatically, "the appeal to worse grief shortly thereafter when the Court of Appeal was abandoned." a hunter, who had witnessed the unequal fight from the street, rushed with a shot gun to a roof across the belfry, and from there killed the

The bird, which had a two metre wing span, is now an exhibit in the Desio's museum.

Pius XI.

Speaking as the first Baron of Bury, Lancaster, to the Association of Lancastrians at their annual dinner at Hotel Great Central he told first of his emotions in the case as

THE CROWN COUNSEL

MITT was the only case in my life In which I wrote out several times the first three sentences of

my address to the jury. "I knew that sooner or later I should have the terrible task of crossexamining these two lads as they gave their story in the witness-box, every word of which I expected would be true but was being told CAMUE.. A. ELTOFT, aged, about some other person when really

THE CONVICTION

LUTHOSE lads were convicted—one **L** of the murder, the other of being an accessory after the fact-and Mr. Justice Atkin, as he then was, passed upon the older boy the only sentence which the law knows in such a case, and passed a short term of penal servitude upon the younger

Learned counsel appearing for that second prisoner-learned counsel of no little courage-immediately gave notice of appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeal in the hope that he might get rid even of that sen-

"Then a very strange thing happened. One of the main facts on behalf of the younger prisoner was that, so far as anybody knew, he had never had any share of the plunder.

"The plunder was £5. THE APPEAL

**DEFORE the case came on in the D Court of Criminal Appeal -you able task of serving upon the solicitor of that young prisoner a notice

of additional evidence. 'Aditional evidence which, if I were permitted, would have shown that after the conviction some detective officers visited his house, removed the brass cap from the pillar at the bottom of his bedstead, and there found two sovereigns and a half sovereign on the top of the upright pin.

"That notice of additional evidence having been given," added Lord



That was not the speech Lord Hewart had prepared for the dinner -but an earlier speaker, Lord Atkin, now a Lord of Appeal, was judge at the trial, had recalled that it was Decio is the birthplace of Pope one of "Mr. Gordon Hewart's" first Treasury briefs.

P. & O. Use £6,000,000 Of Reserves To Write Down Fleet

MPORTANT changes, which reduce substantially the amount required for depreciation each year, are disclosed in the accounts of the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company.

A rearrangement of finances within the group, arising from realisation of assets in the winding-up of a subsidiary company and distribution from reserves in another subsidiary, has resulted in the creation of a special reserve of £6,481,434.

The directors have applied £5,-931,434 of this sum to writing down the fleet which, exclusive of payments on account of steamers under construction, now stands in the books at £5,695,108.

flect was £12,602,872.

The actual amount charged against profits for depreciation this year is £880,900, compared with 21,313,944 in the previous year. In 1935 £450,000 was transferred from reserve to help meet depreciation on the usual basis.

ducing the annual charge for depre- of 4 per cent, less tax. ciation, have resulted in a substan-833, whereas no less than £16,931,- Straits, China, and Japan trades, a man and signed a complaint for bat185 has been written off.

185 has been written off.

PROFITS JUMP

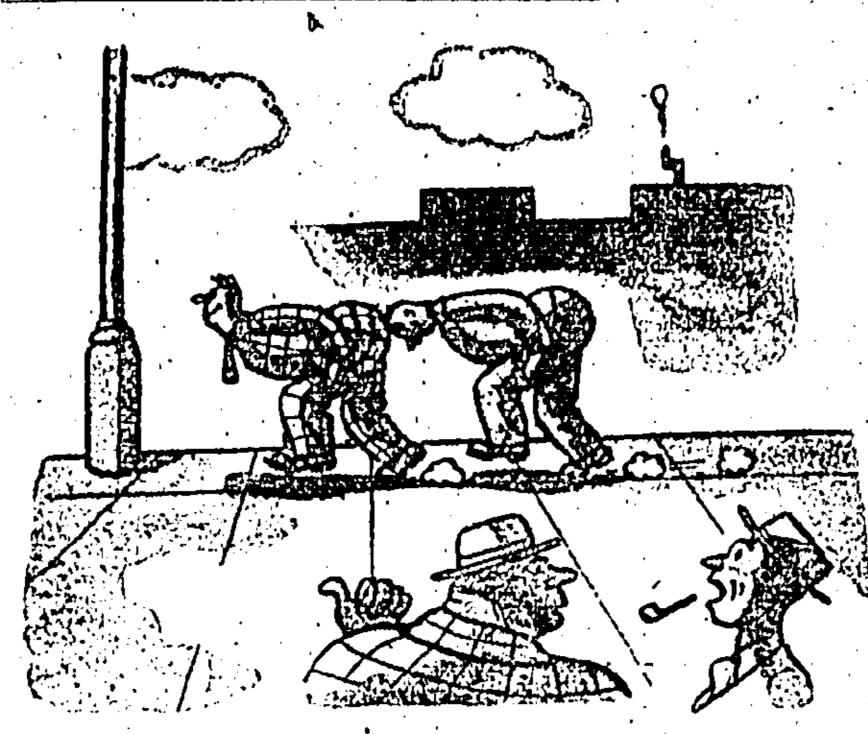
The profit and loss account shows that receipts from voyages increased from £1,054,862 to £1,284,923, while dividends from subsidiary companies A year ago the book value of the amounted to £371,599 against

> The net profit works out at £328,910, compared with £150,-999 in 1935, which sum was arrived at after including the transfer from reserve of £450,000.

As already announced, dividends These changes, in addition to re- are being resumed with a payment

The directors summarise trading tini surplus on depreciation account. conditions on the various routes, and massed the old-time stage of . "kiss Depreciation to date at 5 per cent, state that since the close of the and make up." When a boy friend per annum on the cost of the accounts there has been a consider- of Margery Cocheo, 19, slapped hersteamers would amount to £12,612,- able diminution in cornings in the face, she promptly called a police-

APOLOGIES TO THE Y.



Y. MEMBER TO BEWILDERED FRIEND: There goes Jenny. the cow of our new pantomime.

War-time Premier Says We Have Lost Naval Supremacy

Melbourne, Dec. 21'. MR. W. M. HUGHES, war-time Prime Minister of Australia. and now Minister of Health, said to-day that British naval supremacy had gone and asked how Britain would feed her

NOBEL FAMILY **DENOUNCE** PEACE AWARD

BERLIN, Dec. 21. Frince relatives of Alfred Nobel, founder of the Nobel prizes, have sent a message to the German Press denouncing the award of the 1935 peace prize to Carl von Ossietzky, German pacifist.

The message says: "We have no influence in the decision, because we do not belong to the committee who distribute the prizes.

"We disapprove most sharply of this award to a man sentenced by German courts for high treason. It is not compatible with the intentions of the founder, who wanted to establish à prize for men who did good service in the interest of world peace."-Reuter.

The award is worth about £8,000.

Ancient Fountain For Vatican

Vatican City, Dec. 10. A fountain for both embellishment and public use, erected by Pope Pids IX a few years before the occupation of Rome by the Italian troops in 1870, is being dismantled and its pieces taken to the Vatican, where it will be assembled again and rise inside the papal gardens in its original

The fountain, unpretentious in size though of elegant conception and fine workmanship, was erected in housing the pigs. front of the central building which bisects the two main thoroughfares, commonly called "borghi", leading from St. Angel Castle and King Victor Emanuelle Bridge to St. Peter's. was constructed principally for the purpose of beautifying Plazza Pia, or Plus Square, which forms the immediate access to the "borghi."

On October 28 last, Mussolini gave several pick-axe blows to the front of the foregoing building, to would last for 13 weeks. mark its demolition. The pick is being now applied extensively also to building. They constitute a alum section, and form a sort of fish-bone clearance of the bone will make room | child" organisation. Exchange. for a wider and more beautiful avenue of access to St. Peter's and to the Vatican, thereby solving a centuries long problem, tackled vainly by several Popes and by the Italian governments since 1870. A tablet in Latin to be placed at the foot of the fountain in its new place, will record its origin and its subsequent movements.

ROMANCE RUDELY JOLTED

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 15. Modern lovers' quarrels have

"How will our ships get to Bri-tain?" he demanded at a Legacy Club luncheon in Melbourne. "How can people talk of Australian troops being sent to Europe in the event of another war in which

Britain might be involved?" In face of the feverish activity among European nations to strengthen their armaments, the public could not preserve Olympic screnity.

MEN AND TIME

He suggested to Sir Samuel Houre, First Lord of the Admiralty, that half the trouble arose from the inability of men to adjust their outlook to changed conditions. The conquest of the air had

revolutionised warfare, yet many defence experts persisted in formulating a policy of defence based on the conditions of 1914. Germany might again be the enemy, said Mr. Hughes, and this

time Japan was her ally. He advocated the full force of collective sanctions to avert disaster. To-day the German air fleet could

drop 600 tons of bombs on London in 24 hours, compared with 300 tons during the whole of the great war .-United Press.

Free Feeds For 50.000 German Pigs

Berlin, Dec. 20. THE Berlin city authorities are to buy 50,000 pigs which they hope to feed for nothing. House-owners are being asked

to put all kitchen waste in a special bin. Every day Nazi welfare helpers will collect the bins, take them to the estate

It is estimated that there will. be half a pound of waste daily each of Berlin's 1,400,000 families, and that from the waste 350,000 pigs could be fed. As about 28,000 pigs are eaten weekly the additional pork gained by feeding on waste

The money raised from the several other structures back of that sale of the pork will be used partly for the winter help fund in the centre of the "borghi". The and partly for the "mother and

36 YEARS TO CORRECT A MISTAKE

TOR 36 years the motto, Con-L' stans Justiliam Moniti has shone on the crest of the Borough of St. Pancras. And it has defled all translators, because it has no meaning. It was copied erroneously from a book of Latin phrases. ... Now the council is applying to the College of Heralds for a new motto, Sapentia et Audacia

(Wisdom and Courage).

RADIO BROADCAST YOUR

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MASSED BANDS RELAY

Radio Programme Broadcast by Z.B.W. on a wavelength of metres (845 k.c's), 31.49 metres (0.52 megacycles). 12.30 p.m. De Groot and His Orchestra.

1 p.m. Time and Weather. 1.03 p.m. Hawaiian Melodics. 1.10 p.m. Len Green at the Plano. 1.30 p.m. Reuter Press, Local: Weather Forecast, Time and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Dance Music. 2.15 p.m. Close Down. 5-8 p.m. European Programme. 5 p.m. A Relay of Dance Music from the Roof-Garden of the Hong-

6.15 p.m. A Relay of a portion of the Orchestral Concert by the Massed Royal Marine Bands (Kind permission of Vice Admiral Sir Charles Little, K.C.B.) from the China Fleet Club. Under the Direction of Mr. R. E. Compton,

7 p.m. London-Big Ben. A Message by H.R.H. the Duke of Kent, on the Occasion of the centenary of the State of South Australia. 7.05 p.m. A Pianoforte Recital

by Ignaz Friedman. Mazurka-Op. 24, No. 4, (Chopin). Mazurka-Op. 33, No. 4, (Chopin). Berceuse (Chopin).

7.18 p.m. Three Arias by Enrico Caruso, (Tenor). "Kerxes"-Ombra Mai Fu (Han-

Agnus Del (Bizet). "Marta"-Like a dream (Flotow). 7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report. 7.35 p.m. Variety.

Band - Memories of Horatlo Nicholls....Debroy Somers Band; Vocal-Would you?....Greta Keller; Vocal-When the moon hangs high... .. The Hill Billies; Orchestra-We've got Rhythm-Fox-Trot Medley.... Marlo Lorenzi and his Rhythmics. All my life; Vocal-Where am 1?Leslie Hutchinson. 8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Wea-

8.03 p.m. A Relay from the Chinese Theatre. 11 p.m. Close Down. 8.05-11 p.m. European Programme From Z. E. K. On a Frequency

ther Report and Announcements.

Of 640 Kilocycles. 8.05 p.m. Vienna Boheme Occhestra. (Love's Sorrow). Liebesleid (Kreisler); Liebesfreud (Love's Joy).

(Kreisler): Valse Romantique (Heinecke); Die Hochzeit der Winde, Waltz (Hall). 8.18 p.m. Mavis Bennett (Soprano) and Peter Dawson (Bass-

Baritone). Peter Dawson-The Strong go on (Thayer); Good green acres of Home (Kahal and Fain); Mavis Bennett-The Doll's Song (Offenbach); Peter Dawson-Covered Wagon Lullaby (Freeman and Leonard); Mavis Bennett-Pretty Mocking Bird (Bishop); Peter Dawson-Rolling alone (Akst and Richman); Load the

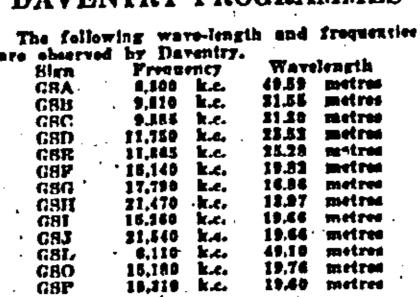
covered wagon (Kane and Hunt). 8.43 p.m." Tintagel" and "Mediterranean". (Bax) by the New Symphony Orchestra, Conducted by Eugene Goosens.

9 p.m. London-News and Announcements. Orquesta 9.20p.m.

Roberto Firpo. Pasodoble-Bella Espanola; Tango __ La Carcajada; Rumba — La Curcaracha; Tango-A medla luz; Pasodoble-Por mi morena; Pasodoble-Curro en el oro. 9.40 p.m. Reginald Dixon at the

Cinema Organ. 11 p.m. London-Big Ben. Dance Music. 11 p.m. Close Down.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES



Transmission 1

Big Ben. A Short Recital by James Walker (Apstralian 4 p.m. Pianist). 4.40 p.m. The H.B.C. Empire Orchestra. 5.40 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Bignal at 5.45 p.m.

(Q.S.G., Q.S.Jf.) 7 p.m. Big Ben. A Message by H.R.H.
the Duke of Kent. on the
occasion of the Centenary of the
State of South Australia.
7.15 p.m. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.

7.30 p.m. Empire Exchange. 7.45 pt.m. Haydn Heard and his Band. from the West End Cinema, Dirmingham.

7.55 p.m. Grand Christmas Pantomime.

8.55 p.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 9.15 p.m. 9.15 p.m. A Violoncelle Recital.

Transmission 3

Transmission 2

(O.S.B., G.S.F., G.S.H.)
10 p.m. Big Ben. A Message by H.R.H. the Duke of Kent, on the accasion of the Gentenary of the State of South Australia, 19,5 p.m. A Programme of New Dance Records.

19.10 p.m. A Ballad Concept,
11 p.m. 'Festival of Food,'

11.10, p.m. Harry Parmer, at the Organ 12 s.m. Serata Recital. 12.10 s.m. The News and Annexacements. Greenwich Time Signel at 12.45 a.m., 13.50 p.m., Vienness Walton.

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EXCHANGE

U.S. Cross rate in London4.91%

ANOTHER NAIL IN SOUTH CHINA "B'S" COFFIN

FUSILIERS CET A LATE COAL & THE POINTS

CHINESE CLEVER IN MIDFIELD, BUT SHOOT BADLY

KEATING DISPLAYS BEST FORM

IF South China "B" hadn't been so terribly vague in their front-of-goal work in this match played yesterday at Sookunpoo, they would have won instead of suffering their second league defeat of the season.

on the pace and setting the Chinese intricate manoeuvres with Fusiliers' defence a morry some fast kick-ahead, through-thedance. But having created all ing subtlety, had the opposition on the openings necessary for tenterhooks and more than once goals, they either shot accurate- nearly brought about the downfall of ly, but weakly, or powerfully. but inaccurately.

were the worst possible, offenders, which in turn only served to accentuate the unselfishness which bordered on the toonsmess, Cheuk Shek-kam and Yeung Shuiyick, the two Chinese forwards who looked at all capable of finding the

But when one has said all about the weak finishing of the Chinese attack. It has still to be acknowledged that the Fusiliers' defence scored a monopolised things for the last great triumph. Wheeler and Keat- three or four minutes, but by this ing, though often flummaxed by the time Keating Wheeler and Co., had swift inter-passing of the opposition, secured full measure of the opposicovered their defences well by tion, and held out. splendid positional play. And when they were able to tackle squarely, the tackle was rarely made without effect. Kenting was for ever in the thick of the fray, bobbing up at the most unexpected moments to head or

klek elenr. The Fusiliers' half back line did not play with quite the same confidence. The wing halves appeared to be in two minds whether to concentrate on the wingers or the inside men and as a result considerable territory was left exposed. materially aiding the Chinese in their infinocuvres.

Wanklyn "policed" Young rather cleverly to that centre-forward's disconcert, and Evans was brilliant in patches. On the whole though the intermediates were more impressive in their creative work, and were largely responsible for the many dangerous raids made on the Chinese

-The-soldiers'-attack-hadn't_anything like the finesse of their opposite numbers, but they were thoroughgoing and it needed an alert defence to keep them at bay.

Talbot exploited his usual methods and tricks, which now and again bore fruit to the extent of putting his colleagues through for goal, but and restored them to the leadership. | fell to the floor.

WONG STRIKES BEST FORM

This must be sald for the Fusiliers forwards. They kept Wong Wah-gay very much busier than Rowlands by the Chinese quintette. And Wong came out of the test with colours well aloft, even though he had to concede the vital goal. But he might have let in two more and still not be counted to blame. One save from Talbot when he dived full length, Gordon Richards Among he flung himself at the ball almost despniringly were high spots of a very excellent display.

Before him Leung and Chung played stoutly, and rather less hurriedly than their vis-n-vis, while the half backs were about on a par with the soldiers. Lam Tak-po was head and shoulders above his colleagues on the flanks, featuring a neat display with some first-class ball

distribution. Yeung Shui-yick and Cheuk Shakkam were far and away the best of the forward and dld not seem to know what to do with the ball when in possession. Chan Tak-fal was lively, but very indiscriminate, and ship." his shooting fell very much below par, Wong Ming-chung played a rather passive part in the game, of playing fields.—Reuter. though Cheuk, his partner, gave him many opportunities to shine.

CONTRASTING METHODS

The Chinese played the spectacular football. with the Fusiliers content straight-forward onslaughts by the horse he owns win at Cardiff. quickest possible route. These concasy chances of scoring early on, the | while the race was in progress. goal underwent a number of narrow seeing his horse, Manchester City, I little bit too consident after badly to a third division team. No

They were for ever cramming. The Fusiliers responded to the

But though attack gave way tocounter-attack throughout the first Chan Tak-fat and Henry Young half, the period finished without any scoré being registered.

- Fusiliers looked very much the better team in the second half, and by applying pressure, kept South China very much on the defence. Nevertheless it was not until a drew appeared inevitable that Talbot managed to get in one of his best passes which Hughes immediately selzed and converted into a goal.

reverse, the Chinese practically



(By Frank Poxon)

popularise Table Badminton in England. It is a game which already has a great vogue in the United States. and I think it will be popular here. A controlling body has been formed. The table is of the same dimensions as that used for Table Tennis. The net is, of course, higher, 1344in. and the games are 21 up. The rackets are a little smaller than the ordinary Badminton rackets. The price of the equipment is very small. There is just enough run to enable a player's arm to go back with a

usually they were well anticipated An exhibition was given recently by Leung In-chan and Chung Chi- at the British Industries Theatre, yan. Coakley was the most enter- | Marble Arch. It was claimed that was not very well supported by Parry | texture, would never pass beyond the or Sullivan, and Hughes on the left bounds of the table. In last night's goal which gave his team two points frequently went over the table and

> game, and it may become very right on the spot so far as forepopular, for it provides the maximum of exercise in the minimum of space.

TURF TRIBUTE TO KING GEORGE V

Group Organising Special Fund

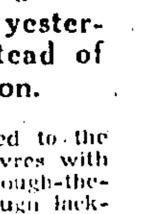
Gordon Richards, champion jockey owners, trainers, bookmakers, and racegoers are to serve on a committee formed to organise a special fund to the memory of King George, him- The Open-Passing self a great patron of the turf and

statement issued "wishes to arrange as being one of them in his love of the open air and good sportsman-:

All of the money subscribed to the fund will be devoted to the provision

man, had the unique experience of as dangerous as the Chinese. There to defend doggedly and to make watching from the sky the only race- was an effervescence about Smith's Versus Goals trasting methods were, in themselves, hoping to arrive on the course before ward line. Laister played polished A attempt to create a record with

Fusiliers' rearguard, not having From his position in the sky Mr. settled down. Later on their efforts Lambert was, with the aid of his were more easily countered, but even binoculars, able to watch the runin the closing stages the soldiers' ning. He had the satisfaction of the thought the Chinese became a synilable to Portugal went down I reached its halfway stage,



the Chinese goal.

Stung into renewed action by this

LONDON

An cattempt is being made to

free swing.

regular racegoer.

"The racing community" said a

Mr. R. Lambert, a London business

Championship Hopes Are Beginning To Dwindle

"I HAVE IT" SAYS WONG WAH-GAY

Hotly pressed during yesterday's league football match between South China "B" and the Fusiliers, Wong Wall-gay, Chinese goal-keeper, dives for the ball with Talbot in close attendance. Wong's smart goalkeeping was a feature of the match. (Photo; Mee Choung).



Clubhouse Chatter

By "Veritas'

The Impossible Did Happen Last Saturday

EXTRAORDINARY RESULTS IN INTERNATIONAL CHARITY **MATCHES**

INGLAND 3, China 1. Wales prising member of the attack, but he | the shuttle, because of its special 1. 3, Portugal 1. This time, I'll admit, I've been made to eat wing has played better games, though exhibition games that claim was not my own words. But who would to him goes the credit for scoring the established, for the shuttle very have thought such results possible? This child, for one, Still, Table Badminton is a good didn't, and now I have been put casting the result of the International Charity Cup final is concerned. Perhaps it's just as well Czechoslovakia didn't enter a team in this competition! securing a lead in the first 20 min- scrupulously fair. The chief factors But to England and Wates, who uses, or maybe it was because Eng- tion, speed, a quick and intelligent Club had by far the better of the put my prognostication in the mais reply was so rapid and effecsame class as a Walter Winchell live. Incidentally that equalising wisecrack — congrats!

affair, as witness the opinions

months. Sandford's trickery and his inspiration." tireless energy so bolstered up the English attack that they were twice The Copy-Book lendership which also added materi-He made the journey by aeroplane ally to the effectiveness of the fortors' interest at a high pitch. The was held up on the way, and, usually does, while Wolverson's International Charity Cup. But if Mr. Bliss and his secretarial duties. Chinese were first on the offensive, realising that he would not be in time robustness allied with Swain's more China's defeat was surprising, Porand very dangerous they looked. If he landed at Cardiff airport, he measured and methodical work, made tugal's dismissal from the competi- Five Potential Both Chan and Young missed fairly told the pilot to circle over the course the defence next door to being im- tion was nothing less than sonsapregnable."

Our Daily Golf , Hint

When the bunker is deep, it is nothing short of suicidal to attempt anything in the matter of distance.

—G. Greenwood.

They have number of football are thoroughly deserved. That brains. It was neatly schemed and England-China game was a even more eleverly fulfilled. It also rousing, palpitating, thrilling provided another illustration of how the offside game can be played once 100 otten. Though they conceded the New "Home" For F. A. of one of my scouts who was goals, the Chinese defence was much good enough to attend the match better than the attack, which sadly THE Hongkong Football Association SUSSEX

A ND so China has failed in her tional. It was a Hongkong dollar to Europe's War Debt that Portugal

auestion of luck entered into Wales won on merits. Fairly and without a doubt. Portugal tried to play copy-book football, while Wales tried to score goals. And that was the precise difference between teams after one has investigated all the pros and cons of the match. Wales were undoubtedly helped by a nervous display on the part of the Portuguese defence, who were plainly rattled by the Welsh shock tactles. Wales weren't at all 'disposed worry about the finer points academic football, yet they played in their achievement were determina- by excellent entching in the field. the ball, and an unexpected efficiency by the fates. in front of goal. These are qualities which will win cup-ties for any team, and if Wales can reproduce the same form in the final, I wouldn't bet a red cent on the result of the match. Stabilising

and send me a few notes on it. mused the genius of Fung King- I moves into its new "home" on of Lai Shui-wing. No denying the situated on the second floor of the Cricket forwards possessed the touches, but Gloucester Hotel, has been chosen, a little more directness would have and in consequence the Association produced better results. Experience will enjoy a little more space for | Sussex Cricket Club intend to ap- left performed the most amazing should have proved to them that you carrying out its duties. This is not peal to their members to increase, stickwork. The forwards treated the a special tribute to his late Majesty, 66 NE of the best matches seen in can fool players like Swain and the first change in headquarters their subscriptions by 10 per cent. speciators to their usual agility in U this competition for years. Wolverson some of the time, but most made by the F.A. At one time they to ask Horsham, Eastbourne and passing and dribbling. England exploited the open passing decidedly you can't fool them all of had offices in Ice House Street, from Hastings to forgo their percentage of game magnificently. Everybody the time. After the initial quarter which they moved to take up "re- gate receipts for a period of three seemed to possess pre-knowledge of of an hour, the English desence knew sidence" in the Sports Club. There years and to raise by 10 per cent. the next move as though each had precisely what was coming next. they have enjoyed the kindly co- the rents of all schools and clubs been worked out mathematically in China played nice football, but the operation of the club, though it has using the Hove ground. the dressing room for the last three team appeared to lack leadership and long been felt that in holding the monthly meetings in the lounge, the Association were somewhat imposing of £2,000 in 1936 makes an apon the Sports Club. It was this which largely actuated the F.A. to search for other headquarters. understand the accommodation at the Gloucester Hotel includes a wide verandah, which, together with the large room, will provide ample space highly diverting and kept the specta- the first race was run. Mr. Lambert football at right half (but then he three successive annexations of the for holding meetings as well as for

Champions

(Continued on Page 9.)

BIG SCORES IN LOCAL CRICKET

GET 100'S 418 RUNS IN LESS

THAN FIVE HOURS

There was a characteristically festive air about Boxing Day cricket in the Colony, batsmen enjoying themselves thoroughly on quick-scoring wickets.

At the Cricket Club, for example, 382 runs were scored in the course of the day's name between the Club, and Army. At the K.C.C. no less than 418 runs were hit up in some- hockey was played here this thing like four and three-quarter hours of actual play. Even on the large Navy ground at King's Park, the Nauticals' first string and K.C.C. put together, 340 runs in under five hours.

made to look rather sad. Perhaps the most usionishing innings of the day was Comdr. D'Arcy Evans' century against the Kowloon Cricket | the only goal scored. Club second string. Altogether he was missed six times, and he should have been out three times before back, and R. Rosario deputised at teaching 50. Some of the chances were n bit difficult; some were practically "sitters". But the offer- Airosa. ing of these "lives" in no way discouraged the enterprising Commander from having a real go at the bowling. This is indicated by the fact that he hit a six, one five (all run) and 17 boundaries.

83 IN AN HOUR

Nevertheless the best knock of the day was that of Pat Dunne. who scored 83 in something like an hour of actual batting. Of these 74 were made in boundary strokes. including one six. Yet, despite this huge hitting. Dunne did not give a chance. Only twice was he to secure a goal within the first his defence with lovely deliveries which just shaved the stumps.

Ernest Fincher, who contributed 103 not out to the K.C.C. total of peared to be certain goals. 158 for 8, played a classical innings, sald by those who watched it, to rank as one of his best ever. All of the bowling came alike to him, and the skill with which he treated it can be gleaned from the fact that he was able to find the boundary a dozen times and to score three quarters of his side's total.

Boucher's bowling on matting wicket was excellent while before -lunch. Goodwin-sent down-some lovely stuff. The catch with which Sargent dismissed Lieut. Davies off his own bowling was one of the hottest seen in local cricket for a long while. The batsman stepped out to off-drive and connected with the middle of the bat. Practically nobody saw the ball leave the bat but the next instant it was safely lodged in the bowler's hands, who took it without batting an eyelid,

Alec Pearce's century, made in flawless manner, and Holden's smart bowling were the features of the Club-Army match. Army were very lucky to get away with a draw Another little gem was McLellan's half century for the Club. When he and Pearce were together the Telegraph board had to work overtime. changing figures flashing on every minute or so.

Holden's 4 for 42 was the outcome of some steady bowling, supported appreciation of what best to do with game and were decidedly ill-treated

. In 1935 Sussex suffered a loss of £1,500. A loss in the neighbourhood proximate deficit, together with the previous overdraft, of £6,300,

LOSS ON GLOUCESTERSHIRE CRICKET

Mr. Frank Wills, presiding over a meeting of the Gloucestershire Cricket. Club Committee at Bristol stated that the accounts would not be made up until Dec. 31, but they already disclosed a heavy loss.

He mentioned that the whole of the professional staff had been offered engagements for next year.

realised £2,088.

HOCKEY, 👵 MACAO JUST THREE PLAYERS WINS

Close Call In Smart Game

(By Our Own Correspondent)

Macao, Dec. 27. A closely contested game of afternoon when a team of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, captained by Capt. Dwyder Jones, met the formidable Macao Hockey Club, captained by Lacrtes de Costa. In all three matches bowlers were A large crowd of spectators gathered to witness the friendly encounter which Macao won by

> Mneno fielded Cardoso at right centre half in the absence of Alex

Play was fast and thrilling from the outset, the visitors pressing the attack which was met with vigorous résistance. Cardoso did full credit to his side by frustrating many clever movements. Attempting to open the score, Dunby, right wing, managed to get past the opposing defence by working in close combination with the inside trio. The soldiers were unfortunate in failing uncomfortable, Foster getting past Afteen minutes. Almada proved to be a very reliable custodian for the home team twice saving what ap-

Towards the interval the attack was transferred, and the Fusiliers were kept busy checking constant. | raids. 'Macao's forwards would have in the face of Boucher's five for 42, undoubtedly scored before half time but for the splendid goalkeeping of Ludlow, the Fusiliers custodian.

MACAO SCORE

On resumption, the local forwards displayed wonderful understanding in their combination and continued to threaten the opposing goal. After some fifteen minutes, Pedrinho Angelo, centre forward, taking advantage of a neat pass by Costa. left half, drove a smashing shot from close range into the net leaving Ludlow no possible chance. A few minutes later Macao netted a second goal which was disallowed owing to an offside. Thereafter, both sides settled down to some pretty passing and, maintaining a clever defence, the Fusillers resisted many desperate efforts by the Macao forwards. The Fusiliers forward line obtained several openings and pressed closely, but the alert Almada was able to keep his goal clear.

Shortly before the end, the home forwards approached the Fusiliers goal. A smart shot by F. Nolasco, left wing, hit the goal post and rebounded: Angelo then tried to shoot and after intercepting Ludlow was still to face another shot by Airosa, inside right. His smart save was greeted with a storm of applause.

For the Fusiliers, Capt. Dwyder Jones, inside right, played inspiringly with Thomson at centre and Bruton, left inside. Sharp, centre half, destroyed many tactful combinations by the opposition, while Ludlow at goal met his tight situations so creditably that he well deserved the applause he received.

The winners were well served by Cardoso at back. R. Rosario intercepted very neatly in his new posttion at centre half while Costa at

The Fusillers' team consisted of Ludiow: L/Corp. Palmer. Sergt. Cheley; Corps. Davis, Sharp and Fus. Jones; Sergt. Dundy, Capt. Dwyder Jones, Fus. Thomson, L/Corp. Bruton, Fus. Hall.

Playing for Macao were Almada: 'Cardoso, Lammert: J. Nolasco, R. Rosario, L. Costa; F. Nolasco, Airosa,. P. Angelo, H. Rosario, A. Angelo. . It may be recalled that when the Fusillers played in Macao last season, they were defeated by eight clear goals.

MACAO POLICE DEFEATED

In preparation for the Football League which is to begin here in January, the week-end has seen a continuance of interest in soccer. The Tenembrosa's eleven combatted with the Macao Police team in a friendly ... match in which the Custodians of Goddard's benefit has already Law and Order were beaten by a score of four goals to two."

Triangular Tourney Cricket Reports KING'S.

CLUB FOILED BYARMY

DELIGHTFUL BATTING BY T. A. PEARCE AND MCLELLAN

FULL DESCRIPTION OF GAME

(By R. Abbit)

The Club and Army game on Saturday was due to start at 11 a.m. but a lot of people could not make it-a great pity in a one day match-and at 11.35 Kilbee and T. E. Pearce opened to Garthwaite at the Law Courts end and Murphy.

four-this last definitely Christmas steady overs, seemed to tire suddenly, fielding. Kilbre hooked Garthwaite and his last ball also reached the next over for a glorious four, boundary at square leg. One began Things went very slowly for a bit to hope that Penrce was going to and then Kilbee glanced Garthwaite play one of his brilliant knocks. At gloriously to long leg though his shot the end of an hour's play 91 runs over the gully's fiend was not so hot. | had been scored.

served up two high full tosses to leg waite. Pearce square cut him for with both of which Kilbee dealt four, lifted one dangerously towards adequately. After two singles a mid-wicket or long on and then cut long hop to leg crashed to the a four well behind point-ten runs pavilion in spite of a good attempt off the over. by Daniells to get at it.

A DISASTROUS OVER

ever was straight though short of a ball of the over kept amazingly low length and Pearce missed it when hooking 38-1-8. However Amurath succeeded to Amurath and Alec Pearce square cut a four and then stole a single from a bit of slack returning of the ball. Garthwaite's last ball pushed back Kilbee's leg stump. It was far too far up to hook and one can only assume he thought it would go clear of the sticks, 38-2-25. Barron went on for Murphy. In

his second cover there was a loud appeal for a catch at the wicket off Alec Pearce's Bat-but it was firmly 83 minutes. Good going. Pearce standing at point with a left-hander negatived by the umpire. The bats- was not out 67 and Mac. 37 not out. batting-and probably owing to the men seemed to be playing themselves in and took some quick runs (while Pearce hit a four or two) when 'Owen | and discovered-after-they had run

but I seem to remember he used to late. (191-4-100). The stand had When I woke up ten minutes later have rather a blind spot on his leg put on 136 very quickly. Pearce five more runs had been scored and stump when he used to play a sort hit a short one from Barron when the the batsmen were stonewalling, of "leg-persuader" shot. I mention latter went on again straight to mid soundly but not spectacularly until this in view of the obvious fact that | the batsman had obviously never considered the possibility of being out. On the question of the direction of a ball it is impossible for spectators hit 7 fours. After that Ride hit at full length and brought off a to judge, though it is a different justily and was not out 41 when the miraculous catch. 55-3-4.

A USEFUL STAND

McLellan punched Garthwaite's At three minutes past three out at Holden in the same order he short'un behind square leg and next Daniells and Eivin started on the gave Owen Hughes an easy catch. over_glanced_Barron-to-fino-leg-and task-of-making-250-runs-in-two-hours 40-2-0. Ten was taken with the hooked him very hard—both bound- and a half minus a tea interval. It score at 46. I find on enquiry that ary hits. Off his next over Pearce was a difficult but not impossible the bowler's umpire was not unsight. had a terrific crack but got it on the task. Holden and Owen Hughes ed and gave the short leg chance as end of the bat and dropped it not so bowled at their usual ends. It struck no catch, far from long off standing very wide. me the former was not quite happy Had he connected fully I fancy the bowling to the left-hander. C.D.'s garden would have been crash- Daniells kept going after the off After tea Holden's first ball was ed a bit. However there was no ball and Owen Hughes had, a ring of snicked between the wicket keeper mistake about his leg glance off three slips which reminded me very who just touched it and first slip and Garthwaite next over, a beautiful much of R. E. O. Bird's field, but to went for four. It was a chance, but shot which he followed by a late the right-hander Owen Hughes was a most difficult one. Elvin was now cut for four.

CRGARETTES

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In the latter's first over Pearce | At the moment Garthwaite, who hooked the ball for two and later for had bowled nine very good and

Next over for some reason Murphy | Prichard then went on for Garth-

Moreton went on for Barron. McLellan, who was batting uncommonly well, glanced him to long The first ball of the next over how- leg for four. After a single the last and Pearce did very well to stop it. McLellan only just avoided backward point in Prichard's next over and then Pearce hit a four to long leg to over as Bird used to do. complete his fifty, ramming it home At 14 Daniells was caught as it with a nice cover drive.

came from Prichard's next over and umpire I should have thought could Goliath seemed to be having it all not see. I do not know (when his own way. Tiffin was taken at writing) if the decision was referred 12.58. 144 runs had been scored in to the square-leg umpire who was

AFTER TIFFIN

Pearce and McLellan resumed junings. (icidentally I thought that Hughes played a leg shot at Barron their partnership and Pearce bit in a one day match the umpires INTERNATIONAL CHARITY CUI very strongly. He completed his changed ends after each innings. a leg-bye-that he had been given hundred, with a six to square speak subject to correction.) leg and a single off Elvin The cricket was very slow and only China He was obviously very surprised who had come over to fill the blank 28 were scored in the first half hour. Portugal on. He had 17 fours and one six in the Club obliged with a four over R.W. Fusiliers 1 S. China "B"

McLellan completed his fifty and At 41, however, Daniells played one was bowled hitting at Barron. He into the slips and Owen Hughes dived matter re height or knee bending. declaration was made at 249 for 6.

THE ARMY BAT

bowling round the wicket and not definitely brightening up and sent

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Arms and legs went flying during this moment in the International Charity Cup match between China and England played on Saturday. China's goalkeeper is seen clearing brilliantly from a hot English attack. (Photo: Mee Cheung).

appeared to us in the score box and to the people in the Pavillon very but at times, the ball was not gathered as it should have been. Fourteen he rolled over and the bowler's

throw to give Eivin a hit for five.

his wicket in putting Holden round

to fine leg when he had scored 38.

lose those dangerous off flicks of his.

shaping much better than in the Navy

game. However, Prichard was very

smartly caught at the wicket off

wicket for four off McLellan.

again but McLellan continued.

and patient knock.

expected to see Owen Hughes go on

was bowling off breaks round the

A CLOSE THING

and the game was drawn. ...

There is no doubt that the Club

In Pearce's second over Jackson

McLellan 67-4-4-and things did not

up Pearce relieved Holden and I . Match Postponed.

Below will be found the week-end results of local league and cup sun which would have unsighted him had he faced Queen's Road. Any- football, together with the revised way the batsman continued his league tables.

> RESULTS 1 England 1 Wales

DIVISION I Results

* Royal Navy - Eastern Ath. League Table

•	miraculous catch.	Goals
	Garthwaite was sent in next one ahead of his place in the order. It	P. W. D. L. F. A. P
	seemed pretty clear he had instruc-	R.W. Fusiliers 12 8 1 3 28 14
•	tions to get on with it but in playing out at Holden in the same order he	D 17 D 10 11 7 0 0 00 10
•	gave Owen Hughes an easy catch.	S. China "B" 11 7 2 2 24 12
y Ł	40-2-0. Ten was taken with the	S. China "A" 10 5 3 2 18 9
3	score at 46. I find on enquiry that the bowler's umpire was not unsight-	East Lancs 10 5 1 4 17 17
3	ed and gave the short leg chance as	Kowloon F.C. 12 5 1 6 14 23
,	no catch. A CHANCE	St. Joseph's 9 4 2 3 16 12
.		Royal Navy . 8 4 1 3 10 13
	After ten Holden's first ball was	Eastern Ath. 9 4 1 4 15 17
,	who inet touched it and first alin and	Chinese (K) 11 2 5 4 17 24
	went for four. It was a chance, but	H.K.F.C 10 4 0 6 22 17 Athletic 11 2 3 6 12 24
: 1	definitely brightening up and sent	Recreio 9 1 4 4 10 23
.	McLellan nicely to long leg for four.	H.K. Police , 11. U Z W 8 34
1	He was very unlucky in treading on	* Match Postponed.

DIVISION II

It was a very useful innings and Results not as slow as that of Daniells who had more of the bowling early on. R.W. Fusiliers 3 South China 0 R. Engineers The latter, however, kept a very Athletic straight bat in defence and is hard R.A. Lyemun 0 Royal Navy to get out-or would be if he could *Chinese Police - R.U. Rifles League Table Prichard joined Jackson who was

P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. R.W. Fusiliers 13 10 3 0 50 11 23 look so nice for the Army. However. Royal Navy . 11 10 1 0 56 18 21 Walch and Jackson started to defend South China 13 9 1 3 36 18 steadily. It was now their only East Lanes. . 11 6 3 2 33 21 policy as all chance of a win was R.U. Rifles .. 11 7 1 3 29 17 gone. But some attractive cricket, R. Engineers 10 7 0 3 28 13 was seen-Jackson in particular mak- Police (C) .. 11 5 1 5 25 23 ing a beautiful drive through mid- Athletic 11 5 1 5 18 24 R.A. Lycmun 10 2 3 5.19 23 At 88 Hayward standing well back R.A. S'cutters 12 2 2 8 19 36 caught Walch low down off Holden H.K.F.C. 11 2 1 8 14 37 (88-5-9). Moreton came in, but Kowloon F.C. 12 2 0 10 14 33 returned a catch to McLellan three Kowloon (C) 10 1 2 7 16 43 runs later. When the hundred went | Eastern Ath. 11 1 1 9 16 52

DIVISION III

Results . back to one a couple of balls later Police (E)

which seemed to kick and gave St. Joseph's

Holden are recommendated by the seemed to kick and gave St. Joseph's

Rumann Rifles 1 hit a big four to leg but he went Holden an easy catch at square leg R. Engineers where in a ring there were a "Suicide Squad' of four men. Pearce

League Table : .

wicket. 115-7-33. A very good P. W. D. L. F. A. Pis. R.W. Fusiliers 10 10 0 0 39 6 20 L. Portuguesa 11 8 1 2 32 19 17 East Lanes. . 11 8 0 3 47 14 10 At 5.22 Clegg Hill was l.b.w. to R.A.O.C. 10 7 0 3 24 10 Owen Hughes who had gone on for R.A.M.C. ... 10 6 1 3 25 16 McLellan. 126-8-5. Undeterred, Kwong Wah 11 6 1 4 33 24 Murphy hit Alec Pearce out of the R.A.F. 10 6 2 3 18 27 ground to square-leg and then had Recreio 9 3 1 5 22 23 a big single towards extra cover. St. Joseph's . 10 3 1 6 14 27
But next over he called Barron for a short one which was utterly R.A.S.C. 11 2 2 7 11 25
unnecessary and Hayward had the Police (E) . . . 11 2 0 9 13 41
bails off. 133—9—0. However Police (C) . . 9 1 1 7 10 21
Warr streetest the form Warr survived the four more balls K. Rifles ... 6 0 0 5 6 36

NAVY'S GREAT VICTORY

ARMY COLLAPSE IN THE SECOND INNINGS

CLOSING STAGES OF INTERESTING GAME

The Navy beat the Army by 84 runs in the two-day Triangular Tournament cricket match which finished on Christmas Eve. Below, R. Abbit describes the concluding stages of the game, in which the Army collapsed on a rather bad wicket.

perfectly right, though the extent of it at all I don't know. the Army disaster cannot be put down to the pitch alone.

Everyone got a few runs at the end of the Army innings and their score A glorious win. of 215 was satisfactory on the wicket. If it had seemed likely to be bigger at one time, it also at another seemed likely to be smaller!

Prichard and Walch-whose 67 was an excellent knock, while Murphy made a most useful 31 going in number nine. Boucher, who was overbowled got 5 for 84 and Prowse who only bowled very late 3 for 37.

THE NAVY'S SECOND KNOCK

Going in with a balance of 65 against them the Navy started inauspiciously as Davis hit a full toss from Garthwaite to Daniells who made a quick catch 0-1-0. However Cochrone stayed until 32 was on the board and Kirkwood and Phillimore then made an excellent stand though they were in no position to force the pace.

wood found a useful partner in Tuffa nell who had, very rightly, been n later, caught at the wicket off Murphy.

WHOOPS, DEARIE!

a meagre lead of 81, the Navy looked presenting England, France, Canada, as if they were in for a bad beating. Portugal, Scotland, China, U.S.A. 17 together and lashed out with the that Greece, Palestine, Switzerland 16 courage of despair.

In one over of Barron's, Hayter hit five consecutive fours and a two off the last ball. It was not until in the exuberance of his heart Wauchope tried to hit a nearyorker to forward mid-wicket that the stand was broken and Moreton bowled him.

quickly of which the retiring batsman and not for several years has there popular captain's innings. They were been such an absorbing position at busiling for runs now and at 244 for the top of the first division table as nine and half-past three the innings that which exists following the was declared closed, and the Army Christmas holiday programme. had to get 180 to win, in 110 minutes. Arsenal, Brentford and Sunderland,

A NASTY ACCIDENT

got away from them, and were also mouth, for several weeks the leaders, oppressed by the magnitude. Any way, however that may be, the Army is also the first time for many years did not make a great showing, and that London has three teams figuring I don't suppose a nasty accident to in the first four positions. Arsenal, Moreton did much to cheer them up. who for a long time were languish-It was, actually, no fault of the ing in the lower half of the table, pitch or, for the matter of that, of the bowler. Harper, with fastish off have made a remarkable recovery, break, which did not get up much and clearly must be regarded as more than stump high, laid him out among the most likely winners of the and though he did go back later it winning home games regularly for was obvious he could not do much.

like doing much was when Garth- grounds. Sunderland, the cham-6 waite and Daniells sent up 43 for the pions, are still very much in the pic-5 first wicket. Prowse at the Gas ture, and but for their unexpected 4 Works end was bowling very well defeat on Christmas Day would be 4 and finally got Daniells well caught strongly placed. The consistent form in the deep by Hayter. Murphy was of Sunderland, Charlton and Brentvery well stumped by Kirkwood three ford this season leads one to believe runs later and at 53 Garthwalte got that in the final analysis they will outside Prowse's off break and played probably have more to say about the It in to his wicket.

duck all chance of a win had gone. may easily suffer a relapse.

At tea time on Wednesday while | Prichard hung on until 80, when he the Army were batting one of their was caught magnificently by Tuffnell players remarked that they would running like a stag from mid-wicket need a lead of 75 runs to put things to long-on on the boundary. He took square for having to bat on that it very easily in his left hand. How wicket in the fourth innings. He was on earth or anywhere else—he saw

> At 5.08 the horrible story was told, and about ten minutes later it started raining heavily. Prowse took 6 wickets for 38 and Boucher 4 for 20.

They owed a great deal to NATIONAL CLASH PLAN

In Shanghài Next Year

An International badminton tournament, to be conducted on similar Fifty-four runs were put on and lines to the Roper Cup tennisueries, then the left-hander cocked one will be held by the Shanghal Badback to Prichard. Donald only minton Association beginning from got a single and Boucher was l.b.w. January 15. The closing date for very shortly afterwards, but Kirk- this competition will be January 7. Each nation will elect a representative men's doubles team to meet promoted in the batting order. It is on a knock-out basis and the entrue he only got three, but he stay- trance fee will be \$2.00 per team, ed with Kirkwood while an invalu- A splendid trophy for this tournaable 41 runs were added. 136-6-3. ment has been presented by Mr. G. Kirkwood himself was out ten runs W. B. Dainton, a keen badminton enthusiast. 🕡

It is expected that quite a number of teams will enter for this competition. Entries are almost certain With only three wickets to go, and to be forthcoming from groups re-But then, Hayter and Wauchope got and Scandinavia. It is probable also will participate.

CLUBHOUSE CHATTER BY "VERITAS"

(Continued from Page 8.)

all having played 21 matches, stand on level pegging with 26 points aplece. Just below them comes I fancy they had been a bit shaken Charlton with 26 points from 22 by the way in which the match had games, and below them is Portswith 25 points from 22 matches. It the past month, and have consolidat-The only time the Army looked ed this by sharing spoils on foreign championship than Arsenal, who When Walch was stumped for a have been decidedly mercurial, and

PENNY-A-DAY GOLF FOR CLUB MEMBERS

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There is no doubt that the Club word and I think days for the Navy match and if they given a card entitling him to play Golf Union, to the News Chronicle.

Would have won had the Army can bent the Club—which with all one day's golf on all the courses in and bank holidays are excluded.

"And in addition it has proved the county which are affiliated to successful financially through in lunches and to the Triangular Tournament is most interesting as there are two and bank holidays are excluded.

There is no doubt that the Club word and I think days for the Navy match and if they given a card entitling him to play given a card en

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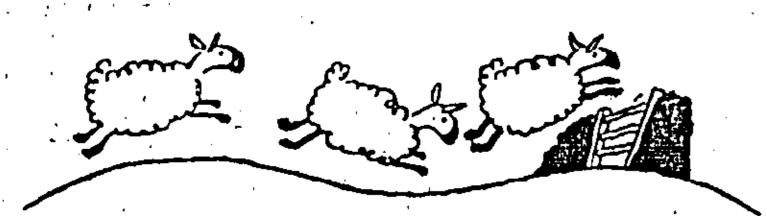
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Why do we sleep?

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trouble may be opportune. There is no known means of send them fast asteep controlling a fog economically, but at any moment of the its effect is lessened in a room that day or night, just by is warm, for wormth makes a fog stimulating that centre. belt rise, so that it is less likely to swamp a warm room or to in-

convenience those sitting in it. After a log has lifted, it is advlsable to go over the greenhouse glass or the garden frames with a cloth, be possible to send for the fog leaves a thin film of dirt yourself to sleep just which shuts off much of the thin winter sun, so precious to plant life, side switch. dows where plants stand on the sill. or of the arteries that carry the and sound. Have some light litera-blood into the brain often affect ture, a hot drink in a flash, and some plants from any place near the win- these centres and produce disturb- biscults on the low bedside table. dow, as the sulphur and other chemicals in the fog can do a lot of

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in the fog which proves so damaging to flowers. Very little shedding of the leaves and flowers followed this the road or gotten out of taxicab. Tropical begonlas and orchids were

temperature. counteract the fog's effects in the the cells of the body (that build-men you would like to woo,

ammonia about the place to first three hours of sleep than in to smash. electric fans going. If you go out with your dog in a Dream Clues

halred breeds, he is sure to come DREAMS can foretell the future, Stretch your arms above you; buck dirty and sodden. A grown dog sodden coat may soon induce a cold, though I cannot see it, except in so out of bed. will clean itself of the dirt, but the or "paralysis of the hindquarters" if far as they are clues that bubble up But don't jump. That's bad for left like that for the night during a from our deepest subconscious the circulation. prolonged fog.

A brisk rub-down with a rough cloth as soon as he comes in is most important, and the dog should be kept out of draughts especially when I sleeping at night. It is better to 4 sleep with no window open than to be forced to breathe fog-laden air. brain.



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Sleeplessness is often the first sign of physical illness, and points to an overhaul by your doctor.

Oftener it is the outcome of not taking care of surroundings. People will spend hundreds of pounds on a bed in which they spend eight

Bed Clothes

weight folk. It should, to give the

Sheets may be of linen or cotton, and rheumaticky people will benefit There was a young scientist from using cotton sheets with a

of Zurich who devised a remark-finannelette finish. able apparatus by the help of The best blankets combine which he could focus electric lightness with warmth. Three light THE season of fogs, with its train of shocks on any part of the brain blankets are better than two heavy ones because of the layers of air in When he focused electric shocks between.

See that they are wide and loose enough to enable you to move freely during sleep | without your becoming uncovered and chilled. See that your furniture, doors, and windows are creak-free. See that your lighting

and mirrors are glarefree. Keep your bedroom comfortably conditioned for air, warmth

. It it isn't your health or your Then you get people who cannot surroundings, it must be your nerves. sleep except in tiny snatches. Disturbed sleep is the most regu-They may deceive themselves into lar symptom of any nervous or we may make on New Year's Day, has thinking that they do not sleep at mental complaint or of prolonged a fair chance of fulfilment, and last Recent experiments should prove all, but it isn't possible to go worry. Obviously it is the cause helpful to all flower and plant lovers absolutely without sleep for more you must treat, not the symptom.

Your doctor can always prescribe hypnotics to tide you over a crisis; moderate hypnotic drugs are effec-· tive and safe. That may break house, neutralised the sulphuric acid Vou get other people who sleep the habit of sleeplessness, but in I nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will

Pleasant Thoughts

Easy on the imagination is the by lowering the humidity of the air, sensible theory that sleep is our TO fall asleep easily, let your mind diminished the damage by fog, which adaptation to the rhythm of darkdepends largely upon the amount of ness and lightness, to night and day, nothing. On the contrary, think was wreathed with mist, and steel blue depends targety upon the amount of ness and lightness, to night and day, nothing, On the contrary, daily was wreathed with mist, and steel blue moisture in the air and on the Sleep—enables—us—to—rest—the of anything you like, especially if clouds hung low on Bnowdon. Even in muscles and organs of the body, it is pleasant: the riches you would the valley the wind mouned with sus-Thus, much can be done to to build up the food we cat into like to squander, the beautiful wohouse by standing saucers of weak ing-up action is stronger in the enemies whose faces you would like Buttress, there were further indica-

neutralise the air, by having fires or any other period) and to escape To rise easily, never use an alarm. heaters on, and by keeping the from the stress and strain of living. It sends your blood pressure up by along the length of Llyn Ogwen ran If you have had the right amount of sleep you will not need it.

says Dunn, an eminent and then your legs: stretch and then distinguished thinker. Perhaps so, twist your trunk. Then roll gently ings of a deluge.

Beauty -----

Hints for Beauty Sleep

SLEEP with your skin free to breathe; don't clog it up with thick coatings of cream. If your skin is over-dry grease it before going to bed certainly, but don't leave the stuff on all night.

SLEEP every evening before your evening meal-for half an hour before it when you can spare the time. Pads of cotton wool sonked in eye lotion or rose-water will help the general reviving effect on a tired system.

SLEEP in the cinema-when you feel like it. Struggling to keep awake when there is a chance to sleep is hard on your looks. SLEEP nine hours a night or more if you want to or if you're nervy-or your face will line early.

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Afoot in Britain

WINTRY WEST

by Tom Stephenson

summer-like week-end in North Wales, I decided to return to the delectable mountains at the first opportunity.

Such a resolution, unlike the vows week-end I was again at Capel Curig. On the previous occasion we had climbed leisurely on pleasantly warm rocks beneath soft blue skies. Lazily we had lingered on the crags and idly gazed over pastel shaded hills, and tooked down on the still mirror of Llyn Ogwen, and the faintly rippled, sparkling waters of Llyn Idwal.

No such lotus pleasures did we find on the second visit. Summer was gone, and winter, making its first on-| slaught, called for extra sweaters and sustained activity.

Baturday opened with a cold and fortained threatenings · As we climbed the Milestone

wind now bellowed and shricked, and breaking on the eastern shore. At times, frenzled gusts swept the water in the nir like ascending rain, while from above came the first warn-

Sill hopeful, we trudged up the

Heather Terrace, that stony track which traverses the grand east face of Tryfaen, and which, seen from below, appears as a faint grey line scratched diagonally across the crags and buttresses of the mountain, At 230 p.m. we stood at the foot of the climb known as Pinnacle Rib,

which starts from a point about 2,000 'eet above sea level and mounts the irags to the central peak of Tryfaen. ;)By that time the storm had broken nd the rain battered us and slashed at our faces and the wind tugged and pushed us hither and thither; subided in brief lulls as if to tempt us

farther, and then renewed its attack with increased fury.

Should we attempt the climb, or should we retreat? That was the question each considered inwardly, each waiting for someone cise to decide that the conditions justified us in abandoning the climb.

Eventually it was agreed that, as we were a large party and as progress would be slow in such circumstances, it was possible that the climb would not be accomplished before dark, and we should be faced with the awkward task of descending in the black night. So it was we returned to the Guest House and welcome hot baths and dry clothes. There in comfort we listened to the howling gale driving rain and hall against the windows whilst we talked of other days and future

On Sunday morning the storm had subsided, but cheerless clouds were still -scudding-low-across the hills.— The-Llugwy, swollen and racing, had spread ncross the meadows, and the woods on the flanks of Moel Slabod had lost much of their autumnal blaze. Some of us returned to Tryfaen by

the Heather Terrace. As we climbed on Central Buttress it seemed that every climber in the district had sought that east face in hope of shelter from the chilly blast.

While we climbed the storm reopened, this time with hall in place of rain. In this there was the consolation that the hallstones, sting as they might, did bounce off instead of saturating our garments. As the hall melted in crannles and

ledges of the rocks it made mighty cold liquid in which one's hands sought a hold. Consequently, there was much blowing of fingers and swinging of arms for circulation. But there were compensations in the prospect of sliver-grey curtains of frozen rain rippling along the hillsides; the sight of the mountains in their first winter white: the flash of lightning and the echoed roll of thunder, and above all, the glowing tingling warmth regained on the homeward journey.

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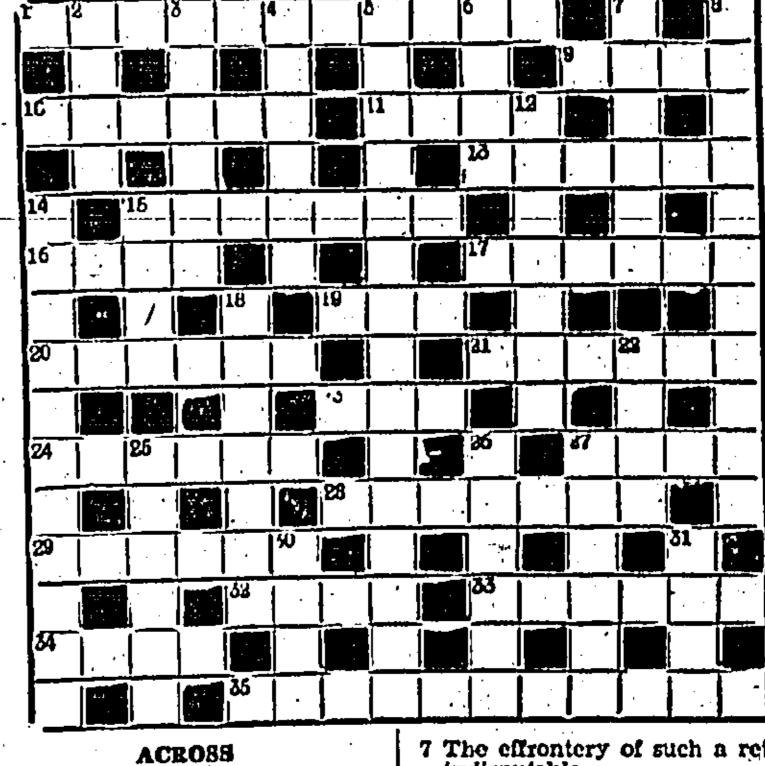
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l Allee is immersed in a manual

treating the whole of these minute creatures. 9 I'm afraid there's no getting on

with it, this time. 10 A range of mountains. 11 Tip them for stealth. 13 Strong drink with plenty of bite.

15 Equine seature much like Wilt-

16 Satellite that appears with one stroke more than 9. 17 Is strongly drawn towards

19 Boys frequently have a game

with this animal in a field. 20 This is rather loutish, I'm afraid, but it's nothing to a born 21 Unless you prefer waste, say

23 Tasks? Enquire within. 24 Put it—and then some. 27 Old-fashloned advice, It's true

-but maintain a healthy colour. 28 Just one more. 29 Dave in? Yes, in a way. Not invited, it would seem, though. 32 Hard study.

33 Seared (anag.) 34 plus 2 divided by 4. 35 Just one degree between clothing and card enables many a woman to make ends meet.

2 Driven into the wood, and left

there, poor thing. 3 Border where it is necessary to spoil drink.

4 Sect. A couple of articles one has to detest.

5 It's against the law, of course, but many singers do it without n blush. (Three words, 5, 5, 5)

7 The effrontery of such a return indisputable. 8 No need to have a truce in order to be met.

12 For a complete solution steps must be taken, of course, to secure them. 14 These deceptions are usually

practised after school. 15 A cry which, by repetition loses efficacy. 18 These are to be found in the midst of both salt water and

22 Legal employer. 25 Making an exception, sang

about six. 26 Run down for the master, he's so upset. 27 Referring to a foreign coin, say.

30 Jugged hare, we all know, but jugged sheep, comparatively is -well, uncatable. 31 It's very unpleasant not to have

one, but don't let anyone give you too many.. Saturday's Solution.

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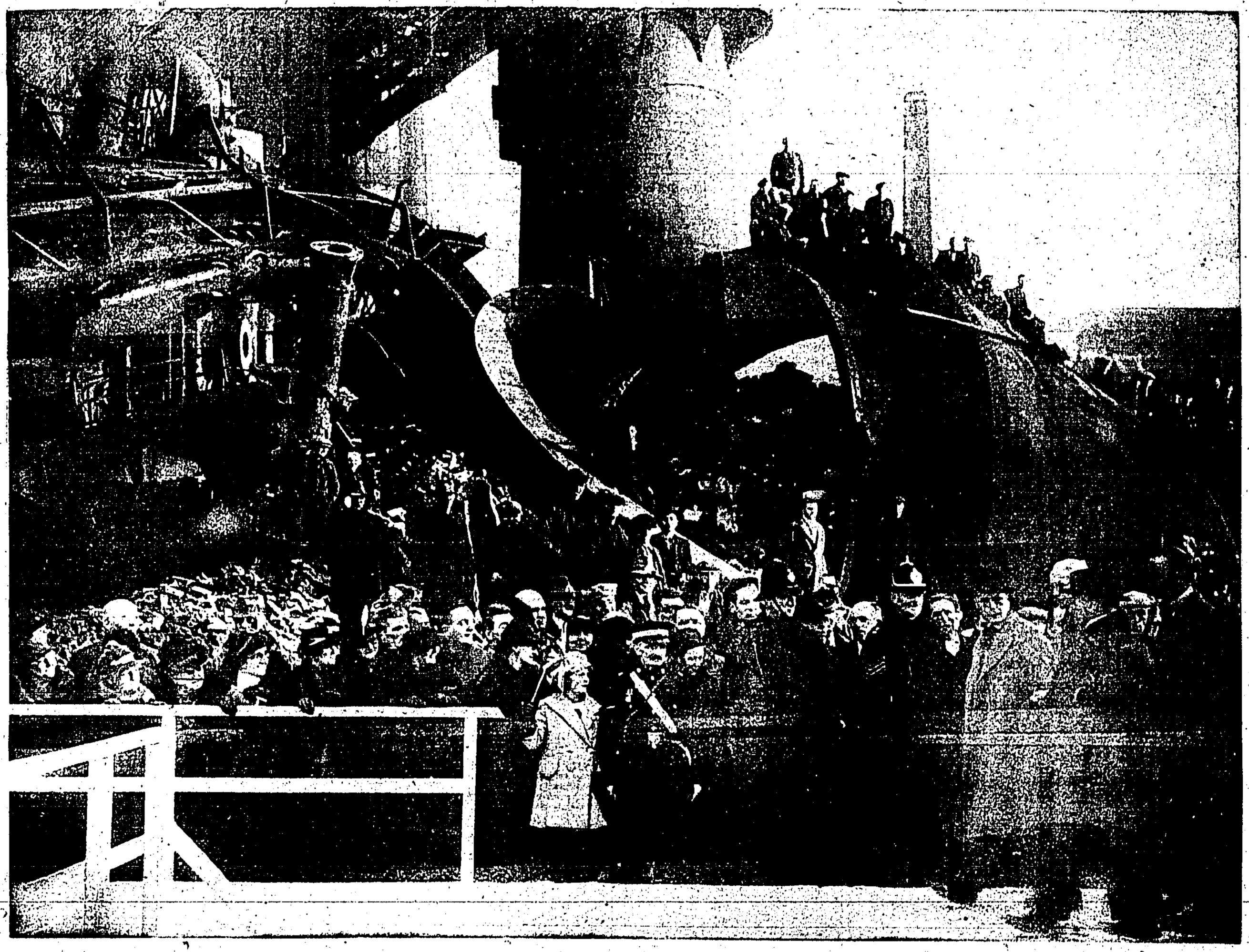
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HAPPENINGS CAMERA'S EYE

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WHAT EX-KING EDWARD



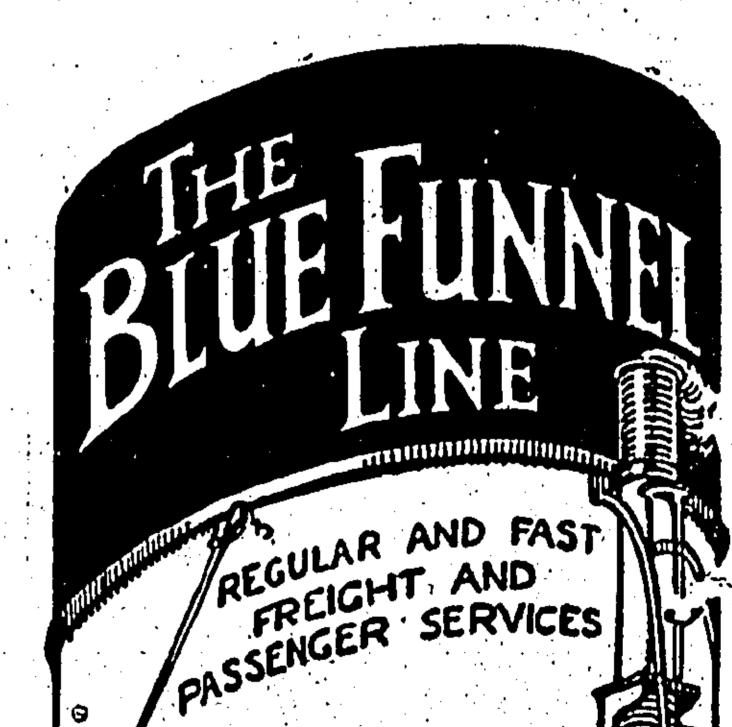
AT the last minute, at ex-King Edward's own request, he visited Dowlais, the northern part of Merthyr, during his tour of South Wales. 'Crowd's greeted him at this derelict steel works, which presented a spectacle like a fantastic film set. Dawlais was once a "town of steel" until these works closed four years ago. Thousands were employed there--to-day only a few are dismantling it.



PROPLE clambered to the roofs and hung flags from their windows at Merthyr.



The production of the production of the contract of the contra ACKNOWLEFGING the cheers of crowds which gathered outside Merihyr Employment Exchange, which the ex-King visited,



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PRINCESS: HUSBAND

HeRefused To Kiss Me

Mexico City, Dec. 20. **VLADIMIR** NIGERATZE confessed to the murder of her handsome White Russian husband after she had given him 10 minutes in which to kiss her, and he had refused.

Whispers of the prince's attachnent to Russian pianist Zenia Prothorova had reached his wife every lay for weeks.

"I waited before Zeina's home," the rincess told her jailers. "I saw Vladimir leave with Zenia's husband, "A few minutes later Vladimir reurned alone. He stayed in the house with Zenia for an hour.

"When he left I accused him of infidelity. He denied it. Riss me, I said. He would not. We walked up and down for 10 minutes. Still he had not kissed me. I shot him dead."

The princess is awaiting trial in the penitentiary. She is in the section known as the "Death Squadron." All its 18 women inmates are accused of murder.

Special guards are on duty in case she tries to commit suicide. There is no capital punishment in Mexico City, but this fact is being kept from the princess, and she is terrifled at the prospect of being executed.

OIL NEAR E.P. RANCH

'Greatest Empire Find'

Calgary (Alberta), Dec. 20. From 0,400 feet below the barren clones of the Southern Turner Valley there burst forth early to-day what promises to be the greatest flow of crude oil in the British Empire. A stream is blowing out from a well of Foundation Royalties, Limited, one mile routh of other big crude oil producers in the valley.

It is estimated that between 1,200 and 1,500 barrels will be produced

Ex-King Edward's E.P. ranch lies south of the big crude oil wells.

World-Wide Television Here Soon

New York, Dec. 20. David Sarnoff, chairman of the board of the National Broadcasting Company, has predicted that within 10 years television will be as common as radio is to-day.

Speaking at a banquet at the Waldorf Astoria observing the tenth anniversary of N.B.C., Sarnoff said:

"Anniversaries are unimportant if they serve only to commemorate post achievements. They must contain the promise of new and greater things. We celebrate the achievements of broadcasting sound by radio. We now begin the second decade lof this new ant, by dedicating it to the achievement of television, the broadcasting of sight.

"It is the only prophecy I shall indulge in-that during the coming 10 years the millions who now listen in their homes to this celebration will be able to see, as well as to hear, by radio," he said.

Sarnoff said the recent presidential campaign showed the relation of radio to public opinion. It did what no other means of communication could do; it brought the individual American face to face, as it were, with the personali-ties, the issues, the philosophies of government involved in the election,"

he said.—United Press.

EMPEROR



In a little insignificant house in Vienna, an old woman who once was the greatest lady in Europe, lives the Rector. Katharina Schratt, closest friend of the Austria-Hungary Emperor Franz Josef. The picture shows the old ludy, now 84 years old, entering a taxi in Vienna to visit the tomb of the Emperor.

Word Broken So Rector Resigns

Frinton-On-Sen, Dec. 15. THE Rev. J. V. Sandys-Birds, rector of Frinton-on-Sea for nearly 12 years, is resigning the living.

His reason is that the Parochial Church Council have failed to carry out their promise to increase the value of the living by £211 a year, which, with the endowment, would bring it up to £500.

The council have always been irregular in their payments. At present they are one year in arrears and have decided that they cannot keep their promise:

Many parishioners feel that any financial saving necessary should not have been made at the expense of

He said to me to-night, "It is impossible for anyone who has not got a big private income to take the living of Frinton."

Good Luck, Drowns

Paris Dec. 20. CAM BRADY, 24-year- old deckhand, sole survivor of the Lowestoft trawler Girl Norah, wrecked sand dunes near Calais last night, described to-day how the 14-year-old ship's boy shouted "Good Luck" as he was swept into the sea.

Brady said: "I lashed myself to a mast. Some of the men tried to get away in their lifebelts, but I saw them drown as the flames of our signal fire lit them up.

"The rest of my mates were torn away one by one-until all nine had been drowned. "Last to go was the ship's boy. He was only fourteen.

Yard Still Hunts Aircraft Plans

Bristol, Dec. 20. How a Bristol aircraft engineer was robbed in London of secret air- Tandry, who has played for France ernft papers was described to-day, in 10 countries and beaten Borotra, when Mr. Gerrard Redmond returned to Bristol and reported to his January. firm, the Bristol Acropiane Company. teather volice, which contained his don.—Reuter. personal letters and aircraft prints, had been stolen.

Scotland Yard men were still inquiring into the theft to-day.

TAXIS

San Diego, Calif. Taxicab service for drunks has been inaugurated in this fair city by City Manager Robert Flack. He ordered police to take inebriates who months have been cheerful. Exame "not too disorderly" to their change control, although disliked by homes instead of falls. 'The move, he applied that the provent mild in both industry and agriculture. he explained, was to prevent mild cases of intoxication suffering beatings in the city juli "tank" at the hands of advanced and riotous cases. Still remained Denmark's best cus--United Press.

Alleged Assault By "Tarzan" Actor

New York, Dec. 20.
Johnny "Tarzan" Weismuller is

Winslow, was attacked in the club, followed. and his wife alleges that Weismuller smashed his fist into her husband's per Chamber in October, although face repeatedly.

volved.-United Press.

Men May Remarry At Once

absolute within five minutes.

Women Must Wait 301 Days

Barcelona, Dec. 20. DIVORCES under the new regime are being granted and made

Husbands can remarry immediately, but wives must wait 301 days before marrying again.

The new marriage ceremony lasts seven minutes.

"As he was washed away I heard the kid shout to me "Cheerlo, Sam. Good luck." "About dawn a French fisherman heard Brady's cries and res-

cued him." The Girl Norah was owned by Mr. F. L. Stowyer, of Goreleston, Yarmouth, who usually took the beat to sea, but stayed behind on the last trip because his wife was il.

Drowned were: J. S. Harris, skipper, Church St. Newlyn, near Penzance; H. Strowgew, mate, the owner's brother, Walpole Rd. Yarmouth; W. Browne. Barracks Yard, near Yarmouth: A. J. Emmerson. Council Mouses, Winterton; W. Kerrison, Mill Lane, Bradwell, near Yarmouth; S. Medlat, Broad Cottage, Fleggburgh, near Yarmouth: A. Leggett, Springfield Rd, Corleston: J. E. Brett, Manby Rd, Gorleton; F. Fuller, of Clippesby, near Yarmouth.

Girl Tennis Star To Wed Frenchman

Paris, Dec. 18. Miss Nelly Adamson, lawn tennis champion of Belgium, and Pierre Prignon and Cochet, are to wed next

Miss Adamson, born at Tilbury, On Monday he and his wife left won the French junior championship their car at Kensington to go to n in 1932 and 1933. In 1933 she played for ten. They returned to find or Belgium against England and four suitenses, a wireless set, and a France. She has played at Wimble-

War Clouds Have Awed Denmark

Copenhagen, Dec. 18.

tomer for bacon, butter and eggs while a trade agreement reached with Germany during the latter months of the year promises another outlet for Danish farm products in exchange for German wines. Still another trade agreement, soon to be signed with Sweden, is expected to open another avenue for Danish products.

Johnny "Tarzan" Weismuller is the centre of a dispute arising out of an alleged assault on a United States naval officer in a New York night club.

The marriage between the Crown Prince Frederick and Ingrid has done much to improve the relations between Sweden and Denmark and the Wade agreement, removing some The officer, Lieutenant Cameron of Sweden's trade restrictions ha

The general elections for the Up-Weismulier denies that he was in-bleral government a majority olved.—United Press.

Alercely fought gave the Socialist Liberal government a majority which will make things smoother for them. The Danish Nazis have been reduced to a very small group with no representation in Parliament while at the other extreme the Communists have only two members in the Lower House.

The trade unions are stronger than ever and wages are high. Unemployed number only 72,000, unmarried men who are unemployed receive a dole amounting to 18 kroner a week while married men receive 24 kroners a week.

The outlook for 1937 is considered excellent especially as Danish shipping promises to be more fully employed at better rates while there is also an encouraging demand abroad for Danish engineers who for example are building bridges in Turkey, Persia and elsowhere.

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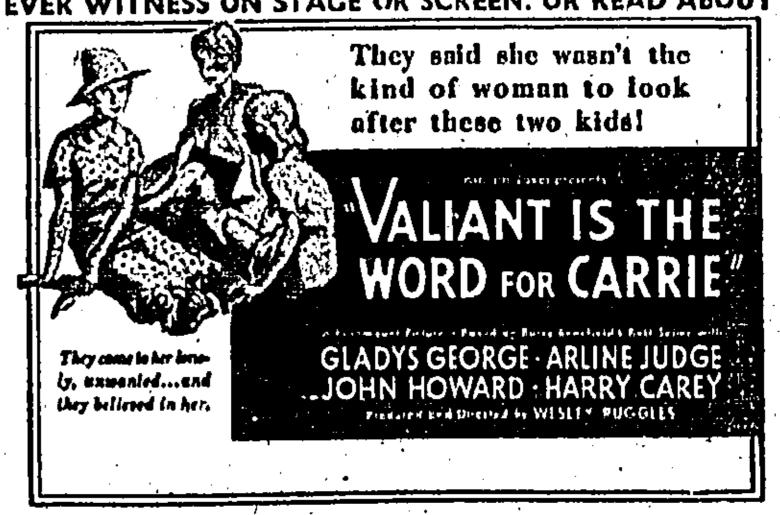
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INTERVENE

IN STRIKE

UNIONS DISREGARD

ALL AUTHORITY

SHIP OWNER'S

ALLEGATION

San Francisco, Dec. 27.

Mr. T. G. Plant. President of

the Ship Owners' Association,

in an appeal addressed to Pre-

sident F. D. Roosevelt, Miss Frances Perkins, Secretary for

Labour, and Mr. Daniel C. Roper,

Secretary of Commerce, charges

that strike leaders show "a

complete disregard for fairness

-WARSHIPS GERMAN RUSH

Following Steamer Arrest of Outside Territorial Waters EXACT INSTRUCTIONS UNKNOWN BUT GRAVE CRISIS FEARED

Berlin, December 27.

號八廿月二十英港香

Germany's steps in reply to the seizure of the steamer Palos by the Spanish Government authorities in the Bay of Biscay, will be announced Monday or Tues-

In the meantime, it is generally agreed that German warships have been sent to Bilbao, though it is not known precisely what orders have been given them.

Semi-official comment respecting the Anglo-French representations on the subject of the despatch of volunteers to Spain, was made to-day. It was pointed out that Germany months ago had emphasised that volunteering in the Spanish civil war was one of the most important aspects of the work of the Non-Intervention Committee.

SCHMELING

LEADS ALL

HIS CLASS

BRADDOCK RANKED

BELOW LOUIS

STANDING OF

FIGHTERS

Louis or Schmeling.

Harvey, 6. Gus Lesnevitch.

Fred Apostoll, Teddy Yarosz.

pute about McLarnin's position.

Featherweights bow to Petcy

Bantamweights are ruled by Little

weights by Benny Lynch and Small

POPE STILL

SUFFERING

Vatican City, Dec. 27.

Sarron, then Henry Armstrong, Mike

The welterweights are:

Belloise, Freddle Miller.

Montana.—United Press.

and Simms."

New York, Dec. 27.

An authoritative spokesman told Reuter to-day that many persons of all countries wanted to join the fight in Spain. The other side started its work in support of the Leftist group much earlier, by collecting money on behalf of the Spanish Government, he pointed out.—Reuter.

PATROL OPENED FIRE

Messages from Madrid reveal that a Leftist patrol boat arrested the German steamer Palos after firing several shots across her bows. German authorities declare the ship was outside Spanish territorial waters.

The Palos belongs to Oldenburgh Portuguese Company, and was bound for Spanish ports from Hamburg. She carried no war materials, German sources disclose, and only three passengers.

A Berlin message asserts that it those aboard the Palos are harmed the situation may become very grave.

-Anglo-French---Notes-

Berlin, Dec. 27. The British and French Ambassadors called at the Foreign Office at noon to-day and each handed to Dr. Gauss, chief juridical adviser of the Foreign Office, a memorandum concerning the present condition of nonintervention in Spain.

It is stated that both notes are of a similar naure.—Reuter.

Severe Fighting

Madrid, Dec. 28. There has been severe fighting on day. They put the German, Reuter. the Madrid front. Yesterday the Max Schmeling, at the top of the Government launched an offensive on list, Joe Louis, Detroit negro Madrid, At 7.30. a.m. the Loyalist second, and Jim Braddock, aclines opened a heavy and precise cepted world's champion, third. artillery fire, which, preceded the Gunnar Barlund of Finland is prudent leadership has contributed to advance of militia. The operation was undertaken given fourth place.

with the idea of hampering General Francisco Franco's plan to encircle has not defended his title and his Chiang will not think it necessary to Madrid and to open up the possibility of taking the rebel position in the Casa de Campo on the flank.

Meanwhile, the insurgents made a vigorous attack from Casa Campo and actually succeeded crossing the Manzanares River. driving the Government troops before them. However, the militia rallied, and supported by a heavy artillery fire, counter-attacked. After very violent fighting the insurgents were repulsed. Both sides lost very heavily.-

Japanese-Australian Trade Pact

MANY RESTRICTIONS REMOVED

Melbourne, Dec. 27. A new trade agreement between

Australia and Japan was announced here to-day. It covers a period of 18 months and provides for imports of 102,500,-600 square yards of Japanese cotton,

artificial silk and piece goods yearly, in equal proportions. In return, Japan will issue permits

remove special prohibitions against Members of the Household say His work for China, the Post observes, than flames began shooting up in other imports. Japan has also with- Holiness says his Rosary repeatedly Should he go who knows to what another. drawn excess duties imposed on in order to forget his pain. Many lengths vociferous young China might Early on the firemen realised that certain Australian products.—Reuter fear he will suffer a relapse through not push his less skilful associates in their main task would be to prevent

SOONG TO TAKE HIGH POSITION?

CHIANG URGED TO STAY IN OFFICE

LONDON PRESS COMMENTS

Nanking, Dec. 28. It is persistently rumoured that Mr. T. V. Soong, former Finance Minister and brotherin-law of Marshal Chiang Kaishek, may become President of the Executive Yuan in succession to the Generalissimo, who Affairs Commission.

It is stated in reliable quarters that General Chang Hsuch-liang will return to Sianfu shortly and resume his post there, to continue his work of anti-Communist suppression and to prove his loyalty and sincerity. General Yang Hu-chen, one of The Ring Magazine's annual Chang's close allies, will also be boxing ratings are published toleniently treated, it is believed.—

ESCAPE WELCOMED London, Dec. 28.

Marshal Chiang Kal-shek's escape will be welcomed by all Europeans who realise how much his sane, the unification and development of the new China, says the Times in an Braddock is rated third because he editorial to-day. The paper hopes achievements have not been sufficient resign from office for any reason of to warrant his ranking above either "face." It adds that while Mr. T. V. Soong is doubtless an excellent man Louis has created the most interest for Finance Minister his excursion in boxing, the magazine says, and into military and foreign affairs have furthermore he "impressively came been more adventurous than successback against Sharkey, Ettore, Brescia ful.

The Times commends the fortifude Light-heavyweights are ranked as of Nanking and of Chiang in holding out against the threats from the 1. John Henry Lewis, 2. Al Gainer, Marshal's captors, and observes that Leo Kelly, 4. Jock McAvoy, 5. Len whatever were Chang Hsuch-liang's original motives by his repentance Middleweights come in this order: and surrender he has saved the 1. Freddie Steele, Marcel Thil, country from a formidable civil war in which the Communists might have taken a hand, with a resulting dis-Barney Ross, Jack Carroll, Jimmy astrous loss of prestige." McLarnin, Ceferino Garcia, in that

The News Chronicle in a leader order, though there will be some dis- says the competence and success with which the Nanking Government has Ambers, with Pedro Montanez, Tony from evil by strengthening Canzoneri and Enrico Venturi with authority. That is probably the best hope for China.—Reuter.

LONDON IRONY

London, Dec. 28. Whilst ironically paying tribute to Escobar, Harry Jeilra, Frankie just given by two Chinese generals," "the shining example of courtesy and remarking that officially, anyhow, the release of Marshal Chiang Morning Post draws attention to the stored in the yards.

danger of the example being followed. shal Chiang's preeminence at such purpose of fighting the flames, and an early age without making power- numerous lines of hoses were ful enemies, it says, and there are being utilised. stronger and more resolute marshals

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Two striking pictures taken whilst_the disastrous fire at Mongkok timber-yards was in progress this morning. Top shows a typical structure in the grip of the flames; bottom, firemen and police watching the blaze. (Photos: Yuen Chun Studio).

HEAVY LOSS MONGKOK FIRE would then retain only the chairmanship of the Military Big Timber Yard Blazes In Early Morning SHIFTING WIND CREATES DANGER OF SPREAD

A disastrous fire broke out in the Mongkok Timber Yard this morning, covering an area of several acres and threatening houses in the vicinity. The outbreak was visible for miles around, the flames shooting in the air to a height of over a hundred feet, and the damage already done is most extensive.

In addition to the yards actually involved, were several others; nearby which were threatened, whilst within the area affected there were numerous structures occupied by people of the poorer class, as well as big stocks of furniture, large quantities of which have already been destroyed. Fortunately, no loss of life is believed to have occurred.

The outbreak occurred at 7.45 a.m., and within a brief period of time the whole of the Kowloon and Mongkok fire appliances were on the scene, in charge of Lightweights are led by Lou acted in this matter may bring good Superintendent Brooks. The area involved is bounded by Mongkok Road, Bute Street, Shanghai Street and an un-named lane about a quarter of a mile in length. The same district was involved in a serious fire about two and a half years ago, when the whole block was destroyed.

When the seriousness of the out-

their homes, piling their goods in the

BROUGHT UNDER CONTROL

still burning furiously, firemen ap-

parently had it under control. The

danger of its spreading had passed.

An area over two acres in extent has been burned to the ground. All

(Continued on Page 4.)

At 10 a.m., though the fire was

stother timber yards which adjoin the PAINT TINS EXPLODE Texico Company's oil installation. Kal-shek was accompanied by no broke out, there was a series of ex-

rude chinking of coins, the plosions from bursting tins of paint stant danger of the adjacent area becoming involved. Fortunately, the firemen were able No man could have risen to Mar- to draw water from the sea for the of adjacent houses began to evacuate

The work of the firemen, however at large in China than General Chang was made more than usually difficult His Holiness the Pope is sill Hsuch-liang. Should any of them owing to the fact that there was a to import 800,000 bales of Australian suffering with neuritis in the left leg, seek to emulate him, the result might strong, variable wind blowing. The wool up to June 30, 1938.

though there is a slight improvement be disastrous.

Roth countries have undertaken to in the heart action.

Marshal Chiang has done a great been got under control on one section

loss of sleep.—United Press. the Nanking Government?—Reuter, the flames from crossing the lane to

EARTHQUAKE IN JAPAN SMALL LOSS OF LIFE REPORTED

An earthquake shook Tokyo and other parts of Japan this morning, but without serious loss of life, The most serious loss was in Niijima Island, where one person is dead, two missing and ten injured. Some 500 dwellings were damaged .--

SHOCKS WIDELY FELT

Tokyo, Dec. 28. earthquake shocks felt in Tokyo at Council, at the age of 45 years. 9.14 a.m. yesterday were centred near the islands of Niljima and Oshima. They wrecked a number of there reports that the post office

According to Domei News Agency the tremors still continue in Nijima her charitable work in the Colony. Island. One is dead, two missing She was associated with numerous and ten injured, up to now. and the populace remains out of doors for fear of further shocks. . . An unestimated number of livestock has been killed.

ERUPTION PREDICTED

ions that Mihara Volcano, near where, working in co-operation with Oshima Island, will crupt violently Lady Southorn, she effected soon. However, scientists are silent numerous improvements. She also in this matter; and Mihara Volcano did much quiet but effective work likewise,-United Press.

RAIN SPOILS CRICKET

SOUTH WALES 184 FOR FOUR

Newcastle, Dec. 28. A New South Wales country XI About half an hour after the fire The wind frequently carried the had scored 110 runs for a loss of flames in this direction, with a con- three wickets to-day when stumps were drawn at lunch-time, the rain having recommenced with the prospect for a continuation of the match break became evident, the occupants against the M.C.C. this afternoon not very bright.

> Rain interfered with the opening streets at a safe distance from the of the match, yesterday and the Australians did not commence until to-day .- Reuter.

Surprise Decision

wickets. They then declared. Benttle had 124 not out. Reuter.

and constituted authority." He quoted Mr. C. J. Jorden, Secretary of the San Pedro Strike Committee, as saying there would be no settlement if the men were forced to return to work under the Safety at Sea Bill. "Here we have a minority group which actually has the effrontery to bully and menace the United States' Government by declaring its intention to fight constituted authority,"

he said. He mentioned, too, the strikers efforts to link the Pacific and Eastern insurgent machinists strikes. "All these acts are explained by the chipon-the-shoulder attitude of certain labour union leaders and their repeated refusal to accept arbitration, and the inability of the ship owners

to obtain a settlement."

He suggested the time had arrived for the Government to deal realistically with the union men:
Meanwhile, Mr. E. F. McGrady, of the Department of Labour, said he hopes to arrange a Masters and Mates meeting with the full Ship Owners' Committee Monday, and Mr. Harry Bridges and owners' representutives in Los Angeles continue their public debute.—United Press.

CHARITY WORKER DIES HERE

MRS. R. H. KOTEWALL PASSES SUDDENLY

LEAVES HOST OF FRIENDS

Many residents will learn with deep regret of the death, which occurred this morning of Mrs. Edith Kotewall, wife of the Hon. Mr. R. H. It is learned now that the severe Kotewall, member of the Executive The deceased lady had been in poor

health for some considerable 'time past, but her death, at her residence, houses in Niljima. The postmaster No. 57 Kotewall Road, was somewhat unexpected. She passed away from heart failure at 8.15 a.m. Mrs. Kotewall was well-known for

organisations, and was a member of All fires have been extinguished, the Executive Committee of the Society for the Protection of Children, in which she took a keen interest. She will be greatly missed by many bodies of which she was a worker. Amongst other institutions to which Mrs. Kotewall gave valued There are many unofficial predic- service was the Po Leunge Kuk. amongst unfortunate girls and the aged. In all her charitable activities, she laboured in an unosten-I tatious manner, doing much good by stealth.

Besides the husband, there are eight concret, seven daughters, (two married), and a son, Cyrll, aged 13 years, with whom the deepest sympathy will be felt.

One of the son-in-laws, Mr. Li Shiu-kal, is the Manager of Mesers. Kolewall and Co., and the other, Mr.

Walter Hung, is connected with the Sang. Wo Steamship Co. The. funeral takes place tomorrow, the cortege passing Wing Pit Ting, Pokiulum Road, at 4 p.m.

KHO SIN-KIE DEFEATED

Paris, Dec. 27. Playing in the Christmas, tennis tournament here to-day, Kho Sin-kie. the Chinese Davis Cup player, was unexpectedly beaten by a compari-Newcastle, Dec. 28.

Surprisingly, the Australians continued to but after lunch, and took.

The Frenchman won the first sets
their score to 184 for a loss of four at 3-8, lost the second at 4-6, and Won the deciding stanza of 7-6

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against giving him any but the gentlest of laxa-

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MAKE the nails look long and almond-shaped by

taking the varnish right from the base to the tip.

Vse a long, flexible file. It to easy to use and kind to the

Always massage cream into the hands by stroking upwards from fingers to. wrist. Prevents skin stretching and ageing.

Those pale ethereal hands the poets love can be achieved with quick-acting bleaching oreams or backs.

7 HEN you choose a hat or a new hair style, you consider your face first. The hat must be a shape and colour which is both becoming to you and suitable for the outfit it will accompany. Your hair must form a pretty frame for your brow and at the same time suit your

Hands, with their accessories of gloves, rings, bracelets and nati varnish, come in for less consideration. Poor things, they are often like the step-children in a fairy story-overworked and never a thank you!

All too often they are not reckoned in with the beauty scheme at all, so it is little wonder that they protest by spoiling the outlook!

- Before going on to how to keep the hands at their prettiest, let us see how many different types we have to deal with. Naturally, hands are as variedas faces, but we can classify them up to a point.

Lids To Beauty

HEY can be little and slen-L der, broad and large, long and slim, short and thick. There are

hundreds of in-betweens, too. Nothing can alter the actual bone structure of your hand, but just as a full-moon face can be given an oval appearance by a skilful colflure and the right "surroundings," so can hands be improved.

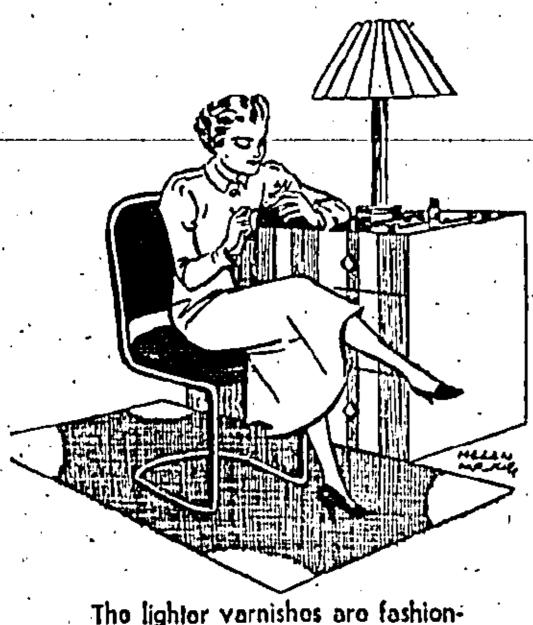
The right gloves; a ring in a flattering shape, nails beautifully kept and filed to their party behaviour, skin smooth and firm—these make charm. Then bracelets must only be worn when they help the appearance and not when they hinder. Cuffs should enhance the shape of the wrist, for, mark you, there's no hiding your hands under a cloak of make-up,

Women with large hands (the capable kind which are nothing to be ashamed off) are wise if they avoid gloves which contrast sharply with their costume.

I The time when white kid was essential for formal occasions is mercifully post. Even at smart weddings few people wear these.

a cones grey or beige suede (so much kinder to big hands), kid which matches the coat or, for younger girls, long kid gloves in frivolous shades to go with their frocks are smart and make the hands look sizes smaller.

For day wear, gloves with elaborate



able this season.



with any trimmings which attract undue attention, should be tabou for the

large handed. Choose simple gloves in darkish shades' and go for beautiful cut and fit-well-made gloves are as kind to your hands as skilfully fitted court shoes are flattering to your feet. Also, they wear better.

Small hands give more scope where "prettles" are concerned, but take heart—owing to the active lives wo lead, not many people have hands which can be considered really small. What about disguising the short thick hand, which seems too broad everywhere? Look for gloves which have a close-fitting wrist and a long narrow gauntlet. This at once gives an illusion of added length to the whole hand. Wide, gay gauntlets are pice for slender hands.

Buttoned Wrists

HERE is a tendency this. . L year towards short, fittingto-the-wrist gloves with one or two buttons. These are a safe buy for most people, but as there are few trimmings to distract the eye, they must be well cut and in a good colour.

Choose those in which the skins are pliable and evenly dyed. "Patchy" gloves wear badly and look worse!

butter, then brown a sliced carrot and a sliced onion. Season well, add half a cup each of milk and water and the juice of a small lemon, and cook very slowly for about three hours in a tightly source. Then, what about rings? When synthetic pearls and diamonds can be bought for a fraction of the cost charged for the genuine article, there's no need to walt for Mr. Right to provide the first

A group of stones in a pretty setting can help your hands tremendously. Give short fingers a "lengthening" ring in a delicate setting. Big hands should never wear a tiny single-stone ring. -it looks incongruous-like a wee star lost in a wide expanse of sky. Have something bolder and more in keeping with the size of the

Anger. Remember that any ring worn on the first or second finger is enlarging, and for the little finger choose a decorntion which is small and

Bemi-precious stones in exotic colourings can be had in beautifully designed settings nowadays-in fact, lewellers seem to lavish as much care

Seasonable Recipes

WITH a NUTTY

S nuts contain a large amount A of oil they are one of the most nourishing vegetable

Now is the nut season, and it will be a pity if they are not used to make many delicious dishes and sweetments. Here are some good nutty recipes which will surely please your folk. -

Nut Bread

Something different for tea, and easily made. Break up 2 oz. shelled and peeled nuts and mix together with 30z. sugar, 41b. flour, a teaspoonful of baking powder, and a pinch of sait. Mix to a stiff dough with a beaten egg and a i pint of milk, put into a greased tin and bake from 30 to 40

Sandwich Cake

Welcome at teatime as a pleasant

Ingredients: 2 eggs, 40z, sugar, 40z. flour, two heaped tablespoonfuls o finely chopped nuts, a pinch of salt. Beat the eggs well, stir in the sleved easter sugar and whilsk well. Add the

chopped nuts to the sleved flour and

salt, then stir into the mixture. Pour into two buttered sandwich tins, and bake in a fairly hot oven for ten to fifteen minutes, Regulo 5. Wien cold, fill with cream filling with a dessertadded, awcetened to taste.

FLAVOUR

Place the two sandwiches together, sprinkle the top with caster sugar, and decorate with halved walnuts.

Add to the Salad A pleasant extra in the salad to make it more substantial.

Cut some cooked pointees into dice. mix together with chopped apple and chopped nuts. Add seasoning and celery. Garnish with watercress and rings of hard-boiled egg. Crisp Biscuits

These will appeal particularly to the children. Rub together 3oz. butter, 6oz. flour, 20z. sugar, 40z. minced nuts, and a broken egg. Roll out on a floured board, stamp with an egg-cup into rounds, place on a greased tin, and bake for a few minutes until slightly browned. Store in an airtight tin.

Date Puffs Roll out some puff pastry, cut into rounds, and in the centre put a little chopped nut, a sprinkling of caster

sugar, and a stoned date with a few drops of lemon julce squeezed over. Moisten the edges and fold over, pinching the edges together. Brush over with a little sugar and milk; then bake in a very hot oven, Regulo 7. Burinklo with caster sugar

GLOVES OFF



beauty's sake try it. Either rubber or cotton gloves will do, and you'll be surprised how soon you can get used to

There are dozens of hand creams, jellies and lotions to help your skin. and if one doesn't suit you, another will. Most people find that those containing glycerine do the trick, but it will not suit certain skins, so if your hands are fussy try one of the preparations , made from cucumber or other

kindly agents.

Nearly all hands

suffer from lack of

nourishment, as their

natural oils are washed

away quite carly in

life. What they want

is a good square meal of rich face cream.

Well-made gloves are flattering to nicely kept hands. She wears pearl grey suede with

neat gaunflots. , which will work in and feed them

on inexpensive stones as they do on during the night. the diamonds from the mine... Now, a word about keeping your skin Did you know that there is now a special pack for slimming the wrists? soft as a rose petal and firm as a schoolgirl's. Nothing gives a woman's It can be applied at home once or twice ago away so easily as wrinkled hands, weekly, the whole job taking about fif-

For dinner

so keep Father Time in his place.

Fish Scallops

Californian Veal

Dutch Cauliflower-Mashed Potatoes

buttered scallop shells, cover with

about three hours in a tightly cover-

ed pan. Rub the liquor and vege-tables through a strainer, reheat and

Cover a cooked cauliflower with

Boil the thinly pecled rind of a

lemon in a pint of water for ten

minutes, then strain, add 3oz. of

thin slices of Dutch cheese and

serve round the ment.

brown in the oven.

Lemon Sponge

Mix some cooked flaked white ANNE

Smooth Skin

serve the hands.

brings us to cuffs, which can also play their part in the "handy" story. Follow the rules for gloves, avoiding o matter what your job may be, it is possible to prewide gauntlet affairs with large hands. Wear gloves for rough work. Oh!

Have the nent, unobtrusive type, or those which end in jester points which come an inch or so up the hand. yes, I know it is not as comfortable As to your nails, remember that the best place for your manicure outfit is as working in bare hands, but for

two simple menus

Brown 2lb. of lean veal in 20z, of cornflour mixed with a little water, minutes to make the first fifteen

--Mock-Crab---

Hashed Potatoes

Brussels Sprouts

Pineapple and Banana Custard

teen minutes. And speaking of wrists



A natural polish is given to nails with the aid of a buffer.

on the bathroom shelf, where you won't forget to use it. "Little and often" is the best manicure slogan. A fleid-day once a month is not much good without small attentions in between.

Don't use worn-out manicure implements-orange sticks which went soft. long ago or emery boards which haven't any emery left.

File your nails to suit the shape of the hand. A slight point will help short fingers, but refrain from talons like the pantomime witch in the mistaken notion that these give added length. Most nails look best filed to the shape of the finger tip.

Varnish can be pale and ethereal, glistening with a mother o' pearl sheen, shiny, but non-transparent (these are called "smoky varnishes"), or smartly

Colours range from natural to deep rust, taking in such shades as tulip, rose, light wine, shrimp, cyclamen, and bronze. The lighter colours win the fashion race in most quarters. Daring shades need dashing clothes, but they are fun for special occasions.

Varnish To Match

to-night

sugar, and stir in a tablespoon of scorings. Brush with clive oil and

Savoury Loin of Pork-Apple Sauce Chop a small tin of drained pine-

MOOK 41b. of tomatoes in 1/2 oz. then cover with a pint of boiled egg

of butter for ten minutes, add custard, grate with nutmeg, and

a beaten egg, simmer for five leave until quite cold.

C EE that your hands present a complete ensemble. Don't. wear diamond rings and scarlet varnish with country gloves-it is like satin shoes and a tweed skirt. Removing the varnish put on for yesterday's. party is the matter of a few moments. Give your nails a rest occasionally. Just polish them up with a buffer, and leave them to fresh air and Nature.

I am always glad to help any reader with her own beauty problems, so write to me: Daphne Earl, c/o the "Daily Herald," 72, Long Acre, London, W.C.2 Please enclose a stemped, addressed envelope for my reply.

minutes, then add an ounce of

grated cheese, salt and pepper and

cook for three minutes more, stir-

Have a small loin of pork very

deeply scored and press some sage

and onlon stuffing between the

apple and make layers of pineapple

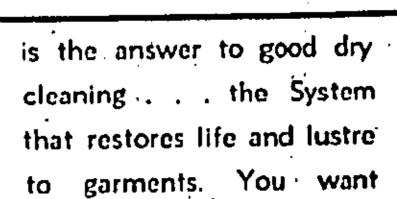
and four ripe bananas thinly sliced

sprinkling each layer very lightly

with sugar. Leave for half an hour,

ring all the time. Serve on toast.

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FUSED WIRE CAUSED PALACE BLAZE

How A Famous Landmark Caught Fire

Site May Become Sports Stadium

FUSED electric wire, it is stated, caused the great blaze that sent the Crystal Palace crashing to its

"One of my staff firemen Gold-fish in the big tank were un-Henry Buckland, general 1854, was insured for £110,000. There is another £80,000 covered by policies held by companies that traded inside the building.

"He saw a streak of flame running along the top of the room. The place was ablaze in a moment. The time was 7.25 p.m.

"I thought at first that gas was the cause. Now we know."

centre of the palace.

INTACT TOWERS

The result of that fused wire was the smoking pile of ruins that are still intact:

wreckage. I picked up the head of never be built on it. a statue. With a penny I induced a musical box to play.

still warm from the overnight would be glad to hear their plans." blare.

Outside the dereliet barricaded area probably 250,000 Londoners UI stood during the day to see what was left of their "old Palace"-more than ever paid to go in on any day during its. life.

the crowds were almost uncontrolable. Traffic was in chaos, some of train services running an hour late.

Here are some fire "aftermaths":

200 of the workpeople permanently employed are to be retained for the present.

Four kittens, ten canaries, two parakeets were burned.

Minnie, resident cat, was saved by a fireman after she had made three attempts to return for her kittens.

spotted the fusing," said Sir The Palace, costing £1,350,000 in

Demolition work will cost thoumy offices, in practically the sands of pounds. All revenue, except for the car track, which opens to-morrow, will cease.

The trustees face a financial crisis. It will be many months before new plans for the 200-acre site can be set going. When they are, the Palace will become—

A sports stadium, or A pleasure park, or

An exhibition ground, with new buildings. Discussing these possibilities Sir Henry Buckland said the trustees would meet soon at the Gulldhall.

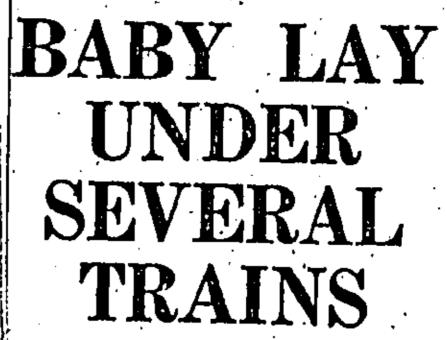
"At least two members of the Govnow spread between the two towers, ernment-Lord Hallsham and Lord Plymouth-are among the trustees,' he said. "The site belongs to the I walked precariously among the nation for all time. Houses can

"The trustees have absolute authority, under Act of Parliament, to adopt any proper scheme for the For another penny I obtained a site. If a sports syndicate were plece of chocolate from a machine formed, for instance, I am sure they

Army Horses: Humanity Orders

the House of Commons that old Army So many people went there that horses serving abroad which were no longer of use would be brought home to Britain for disposal or painlessly destroyed under Army supervision. local inhabitants abroad.

IT LINKS TWO GREAT CITIES



-Escaped

Father Jailed

TOUN WILLIAM CHARLES STEPNEY, 24-year-old fine arts assistant, of Purcell Crescent, North Fulham, BW, who threw his baby over a bridge, was sentenced to seven years penal servitude at the Old Balley this month for attempted murder. It was stated by Mr. G. B. McClure,

prosecuting, that a man crossing the bridge saw an empty pram and, looking over the parapet, noticed a bundle between the running rail and the live rall.

Shock For Rescuer

He holped Police Constable Turnell down to the line at a time when a train was passing over it. The officer recovered the baby and in doing so received a shock. "You may think it is a miracle

that the child is alive," added Mr. McClure. "A number of trains passed over the track, on which the child was. She was under the live rail, and sparks were appearing to strike through her." The baby bore no signs of the

effect of the fall from the parapet, which was 21 feet high... Asked that night if he still had his daughter, Stepney said to the police: "I have killed my baby. I threw it over the bridge at Love Lane, Blackheath. I could not afford to keep

Mr. Mervyn Griffith Jones, who defended, said that financial difficulties had preyed upon Stepney to such an extent that when he committed the act he had for the moment lost his power of reason.

Mr. Justice Singleton, passing sentence, sald: "It is a mercy indeed that the child was not killed. No words of mine can describe in sufficient terms the abominable act which you committed."

EX-NAVAL

SHOT

CAPTAIN GEOFFREY STEWART U FLEETWOOD-NASH, retired naval officer, former naval attache at the British Embassy in Berlin, was found-shot-in-his-flat—at—Lexham

Gardens, Kensington, recently. He had been out in his car in the morning, returned at midday, went into the drawing-room, locking the door behind him.

His German housekeeper, Fraulein Seher, heard a shot, called the police. Police forced the door, found Captain Fleetwood-Nash lying with a service rifle between his

Fraulein Seher said that Captain Fleetwood-Nash lived alone. She added: ."He had no love affairs and so far as I know he had no debts." Captain Ficetwood-Nash commanded the destroyers Llewellyn (Harwich

Imposed By Husband's

Durham, Dec. 21. against her companion on the flight, Sarah Wilson, aged 31, of Elvet Flying Officer David Llewellyn, son of Sir William Llewellyn, president of the Royal Academy.

Sarah Wilson, aged 31, of Elvet Bridge, Durham, suing to-day for a generation allowance, was stated to have been ordered a 9 p.m. "curfew" have been ordered a 9 p.m. "curfew" The dispute arises out of the by her husband's steplather with

whom they stayed shortly after She found herself back in the stay out after 9 p.m., even when ac-

by Mr. J. Thompson Halsall, Bed- the wife wanted to lead a gay life ford Row, WCI. Messrs. W. R. and was not prepared to accept Bennett and Co. have entered an minor restrictions.
appearance on behalf of Flying The Bench granted a separation

> cts. Per Bottle

Buena Island looking towards San Francisco. An assurance has been given in French Navy Bans

Sir Victor Warrender. Under- Fascist raised arms will no longer be Secretary for War, said that instructions to this effect had been issued. In order issued to-day banning any No. Army horses would be said to enture or gesture not authorised by No Army horses would be sold to salute or gesture not authorised by Novy regulations.—Reuter.

He Remembered

morning were made shareholders of their com-

Her Passion

For Bridge

Cost Her Life

Gycer (Hungary), Dec. 24.

MRS. LAZAR HERBI, young wife of a Gycer lawyer,

became a bridge flend two years

She spent all her evenings in

bridge clubs, neglected her home

divorce. The court to-day grant-

When Mrs. Herbi heard the verdict she went home and shot

and children.

herself.

ed him a decree.

£2,125000

All Fancy Salutes The Clue In The Pot Paris, Dec. 20. Communist elenched fists and

Photograph shows the enormous traffic which passes over the new

San Francisco-Oakland Bridge. The photo was taken from Yerba

DOLICE SUPERIN-TENDENT LOVELL BET-DAMAGE \$5,000 looked into the pot of ointment and found it had been pressed down on the Minden Mines, Dec. 1. Two school boys disagreed. One said the little stream trickling | top.

He was examining the bedroom of a man suspected of the theft of Damage to store fronts totalled approximately \$5,000 when a sheet of a diamond and platinum ring and flame ran up the gutter to a truck where a driver was draining what he had found the clatment pot in a

Superintendent Says—.

His suspicions groused, the superintendent-put-his-hand-in-the-ointment and felt something hard. He drew the article out and, according to his statement, it was the stolen

Superintendent Lovell demonstrated his search for the ring with a borrowed penknife and an ointment pot at Dorchester Police Court when Percival Charles Tamaradge, of Hillingdon St. Walworth, SE, was committed for trial at Dorchester Sessions on a charge of stealing the ring from a Dorchester landlady.

MRS. JILL WYNDHAM SUES **CO-FLIER**

Mrs. Jill Wyndham, young airwoman who broke a Capetown-London air record last November, has started High Court proceedings

arrangements for the flight. On Armistice Day last year Mrs. marriage. Wyndham and Flying Officer Llewellyn forced their way across Middle Ages said her solicitor. Europe through 1,000 miles of . log The stepfather wanted to "rule and clouds to snatch the record on the roost" and would not let her the last lap of the flight. The writ for the a tion has been companied by her husband. Mr. Herbi filed a suit for served on behalf of Mrs. Wyndham Mr. H. Curry, for the husband, said

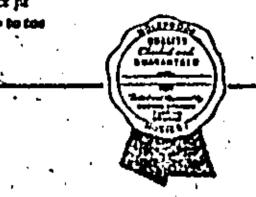
Officer Llewellyn.

Force) and Radiant during the war. 9 p.m. CURFEW ON A WIFE

Stepfather

allowance of 5s. a week,

down the gutter in the middle of town was water. The other thought it was gasoline. They tossed a match into it. It was gasoline. he thought was water from the truck tank. Anyway, the second boy Wear the Hosiery won his bet. That is Tested-Every Stitch - for Strength and Beauty. "Men On The Clock" TWENTY THOUSAND workers who clock in every pany by Lord Nuffield recently when he gave £2,125,000 to wage-earners in all companies of the Morris group. These companies include Morris | medical research at Oxford was the Motors, Ltd., Morris Industries Ex- largest ever made to an institution When you buy hosiery, buy wisely. port Company, the M.G. Car Com-pany, Morris Radiators, Morris En-Ask for Holeproof gines, Coventry, Wolseley Motors, Birmingham, Morris Commercial Cars, Ltd., Birmingham, S.U. Carburcttors, Birmingham, and the Morris Oxford Press. Hosiery . . . tested for strength of thread, perfection of knit, beauty of shade and even texture. Reinforced at points of One million Ordinary stock units of Morris Motors, Ltd., have been wear. With special top that gives greater elasticity. The lovepresented to create a trust-fund for workers' pensions. liest you ever wore Lord Nuffield has made it plain ... and made to that his latest gift was for the wear longer! exclusive benefit of wage-carners, and not of the salaried staff. Officials already have their penfrom top to toe sions fund. "I have given much thought to the establishment of a scheme where-



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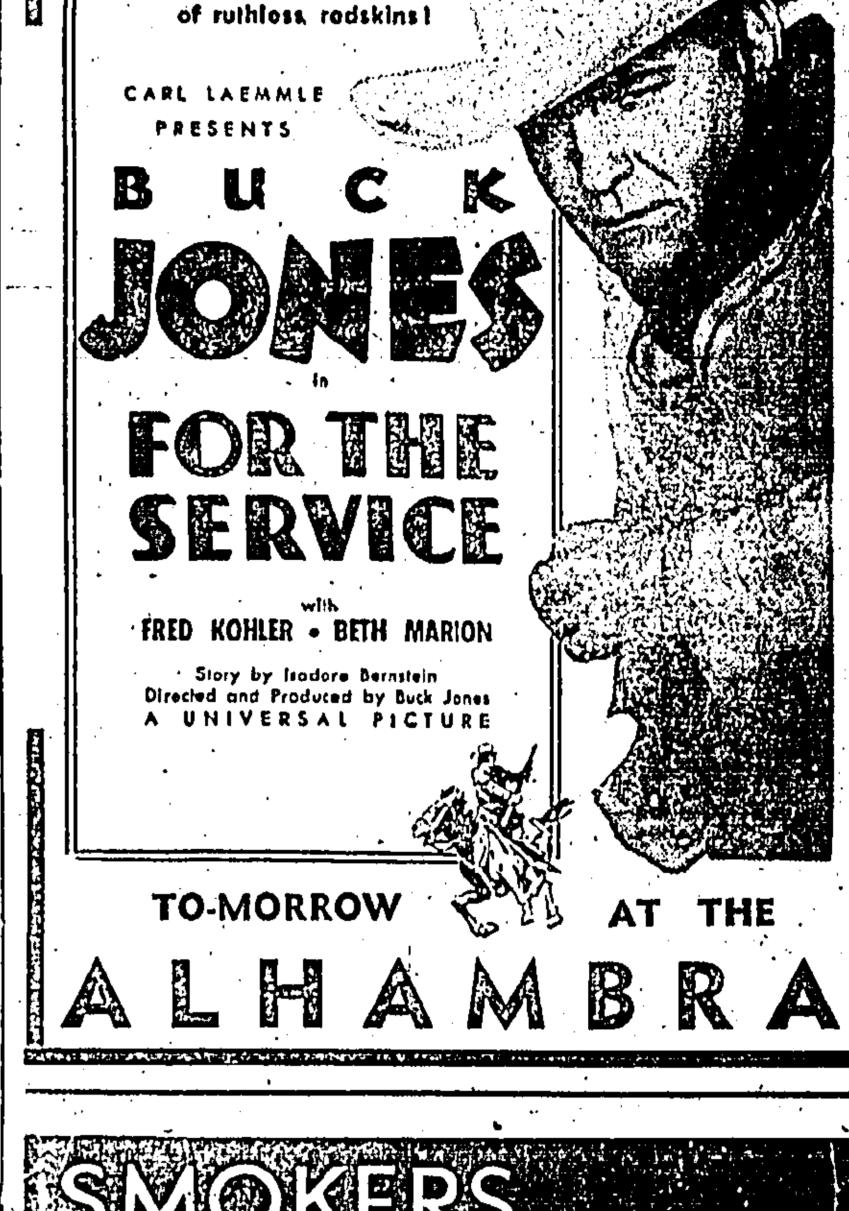
"Dividends on these units will be utilised to create a fund which will be distributed among the employees who are 'on the clock.'
"Control of the fund will be in the hands of members of Morris firms,

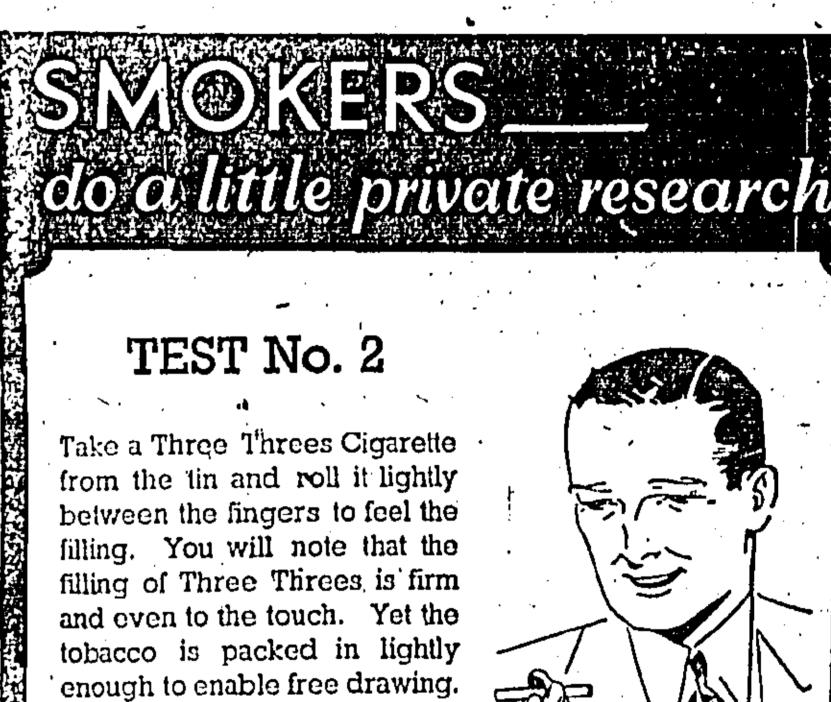
who are in close touch with the wage-carner-beneficiaries." Mr. A. E. Keen will be chairman, and Mr. B. Seward secretary, of the Oxford fund.

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MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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All claims must be sent in to me

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors. No Fire Insurance will be effected

R. OHL. Hongkong, 26th December, 1938.

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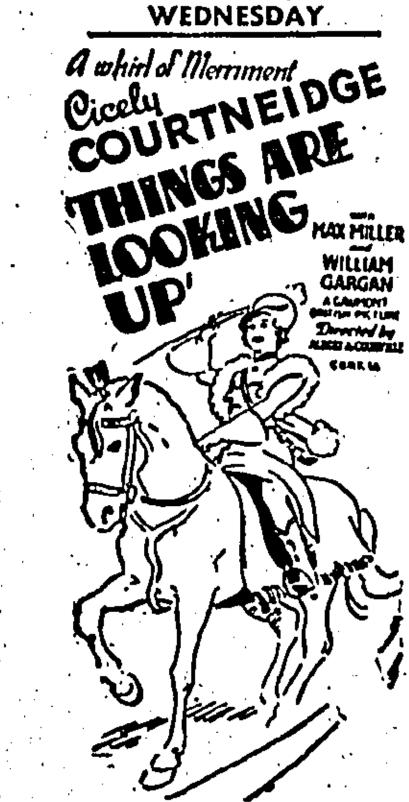
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£32½ n. Mercantile Bank, C., £14% n. East Asia Bank, \$83 n. Insurances.

Canton In., \$300 b. and sa. Union In., \$615 b. China Underwriters, \$1.00 n. H. K. Fire, In., \$300 n. Internat'l Assec., Sh. \$31/2 n. Shipping.

Douglas, \$30 n. H. K. Steamboats, \$7.40 n. Indo-Chinas (Prof.), \$35 n. Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$30 n. Shell (Bearer), 127/6 n. Union Waterboats, \$101/2 n. . Docks etc.

H. K. Wharves (old), \$104 n. H. K. & W .Docks, \$14 n. Providents (old), \$1.60 b. Providents (new), 20 cts. n. Now Engineerings, Sh. \$4 n. Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$90 n.

Mining Kailan Mining Ad., 14/3 n. Raubs, \$13.10 b. Venz: Goldfield \$8 b. Philippine Mining

Antamoks, P. 1.80

Atoks, P. :491/2 Baguio Gold, P. .251/2 Balatoc Min., P. 14% Benguet Consols, P. 14 Benguet Expl. P. .17 Blg Wedges, P. 371/2 Consolidated Mines, P. .0334 Demonstrations, P. .78 Ipo Gold, P. .261/2 1. X. L., P. 1.80 X. Div. Itogons, P. 1.85 Masbate Cons., P. :44 Northern Min., P. .161/2 Paracale Gumaus, P. .63 Salacot Min. P. .051/2 San Mauricio, P. 3.10 Suyoc Consols, P. .47

United Paracale, P. 1.65 Lands, Hotels, etc. H. and S. Hotels, \$5.50 b. and sa H. K. Lands, \$33 b. H. K. Lands, 4% Deben.

\$105 n. S'hai Lands, Sh. \$13 n. Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10, n Humphries, \$91/4 n. H. K. Renlties, \$4.90 s. Chinese Estates, \$76 n. China Realties, Sh. \$4 n. China Debentures Sh. \$60 n. Public Utilitjes.

H. K. Tramways, \$1250 b. and sa. Peak Trams, (old), \$61/2 n. Peak Trams, (new), \$2% n. Star Ferries, (old), \$93 Yaumati Ferries (old), \$25 n. China Lights, \$13 b. China Lights, (new), \$10 b. H. K. Electric, \$54% b. Macao Electric, \$20 n. Sandakan Lights, \$10 n. Telephone (old), \$29 b. Telephone (new), \$10.40 b. China Buses, Sh. \$111/4 n. Singapore Tractions, 27/- n.

Singapore Pref., 27/- n. · Industrials. Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$191/2 n Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$15 n Canton Ices, \$2.05 n. Cement. \$10.90 b.

H. K. Ropes, \$2.50 n. Stores, &c. Dairy Farm, \$211/4 ea. Watson, \$4.85 n. Lane Crawfords, \$634 n. Sinceres, \$3 n.

Wing On (H.K.), \$50 n. Cotton Mills. Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$14.70 b. S'hai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$85 b. S'hai. Cottons, (new), Sh. \$60 b Zoong Sings, \$26 n. Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$36 n.

Miscellaneous. H. K. Entertainments, \$3.40 b. Constructions (old), \$1 % n. Constructions (new), 421/2 cts. n. Vibro Piling. \$5.50 n. Govt. 5% 1925 G\$Bds

93¾% n. H. K. Govt. 4% Loan 8% prm H. K. Govt. 31/2% Loan 8% prm

Wallace Harpers \$4. n.

LOCAL GOLF

STUBBS SHIELD RESULTS

The following were the results of the first-round matches in the Stubbs Club, played at Fanling over the week-end:

A.P.C. beat Government Medical Department 3 and 1.

H.M.S. Tamar had a walk-over from Linstead and Davies (scatched). National City Bank beat Manufac-

turers Life. P. and O. Bank beat Wilkinson and Chartered Bank of India received a walk-over.

Bank Line beat Standard-Vacuum. Davie Bong and Co. beat Chinese Maritime Customs. Harbour Office beat Prisons Department 2 and 1. Harry Wicking and Co. beat Dodwell and Co. 2 and 1. . P.W.D. beat Canadian Pacific 5 Royal Artillery (Lycmun) beat Lowe, Bingham and Matthews 3 and

July retone and Co and John D. Hutchinson and Co. drew byes in the top half; and Butterfield and Swire. (11) 1 up.

CANDHI GIVES **ADVICE**

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IMPRESSES HEARERS

Falzpur, Dec. 27. The Mahatma Gandal broke a twoyear silence when he spoke to-day at the Village Industries' Exhibition. held in connection with the National Congress here, for which 30,000 political figures have assembled. "Show me the why, and I am prepared to go back to gaol," he declared. "I am prepared to hang.

"If you do what I want, the Viceroy will admit he has been wrong and will offer to return with the rest of the Britons on the next steamer. "And I would reply: India is big enough to hold you, and more like

His words greatly impressed the Congress camp, as it was considered possible that they prefaced his return to active politics.

Interviewed later, however, Gandhi recouted this interpretation.-Reuter. It is against the new Indian Constitution that Gandhi and other leaders have taken umbrage, and indications are that the campaign against it will be extended determinedly.

FORGET YOUR FEAR

(Continued From Page 6.) course, at times the international police may be required to act against some offending nation, but that does not constitute war.

"I have been asked what, my husband, the great promoter of the League of Nations, would say about the present embarrassing situation in which the Geneva Institution finds itself. I am sure that his action would have been to launch n great campaign against Fear-for it is solely fear that is at the root of all the trouble.

Attacking in Self-Defence

"Yes, that I am sure would have been Nansen's task if he had lived to-day. All evil comes from fear. The great countries of the world look at each other face to face and shudder, each wondering when the other will spring to tear out his throat. In the end each country comes to the conclusion that the best defence is attack, and then one nation after another is dragged into the

macistrom. "From the eternal panic of nations fearing an attack has grown the urge to attack. It is fear which has paralysed the League of Nations. Fear has so engulfed it that it seems even to itself that it no longer has any right to exist.

"I have been asked if I believe it possible for the League of Nations to be saved. As to that, I will recall a favourite saying of my husband's, 'Difficulties require a long time to put right—but the impossible requires a little longer!' If he knew that the League were faced with the present critical situation I believed he would repeat those words; after all, he was one of the leaders through whose faith the League was created. Might not the words that he left behind him be the means of saving it? The work of peace requires much time, patience, and understanding; the task of rescuing the League and making it a real world force for peace requires still a

little more. "I firmly believe that there are many men of good will in the ranks of every nation and that these are eager for the opportunities to make friends with those around them, but it is the storm-clouds of fear sweeping over the horizon which makes them despair. Can no man living find some remedy for this Fear?"

OWNER SOUGHT

FOR STOLEN MOTORING **GLOVES**

. The Tsimshatsui police are seeking the owner of a pair of motoring gloves which were stolen from a motor car, together with a pound of sugar, on December 26.

A 17-year-old youth, Chan Ching, who admitted the theft, was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr. Himsworth at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Det.-Sgt. Hutchinson said that Chan had been stopped and searched Shield of the Royal Hongkong Golf in Canton Road by a detective, but when taken back to the car park later on, it was found that the car had gone. Chan had a very bad record, and was a banishee.

Sentence of six months' hard labour, concurrent, was passed on him for returning to the Colony.

and H.M.S. Cornflower in the bottom. G. M. YOUNG CUP

Two matches were played in the first round of the G. M. Young Cup, the results being as follows: Chartered Bank beat Jardine, Matheson and Co.

A. P. C. beat Linstend and Davies. CAPTAIN'S CUP (1936)

The following were the first round results in the Captain's Cup (1936): K.S. Robertson had a walk-over from F. M. Ellis, who was absent. W. L. Alexander (14) beat T. R. Rowell (18) 2 and 1. J. B Mackle (6) bent K K. Rounds

SHOCK FOR



they are.

SNATCHING CHARGE

DODWELL EMPLOYEE

and Company, Mak Woo, aged 24, were increases in the production of appeared on remand before Mr. K. agricultural implements, machinery, Keen at the Central Magistracy this electrical equipment, railway equipmorning on a charge of having ment, and so on. In fact, the year's snatched a handbag containing money from Mrs. C. Mann, of No. 2 It reached in 1928 and 1929, the

Defendant denied the charge, saying he must have been mistaken for

the real snatcher. gave chase and arrested defendant in Inspector General of Police, state:

the St. John's Cathedral compound. there was no other Chinese in the and Prosperous New Year.

liams, manager of the Wine and Spirits Department of Messrs. Dodwell and Company, who was in Court, to testify for him. Mr. Williams stated that defendant had been working for him for the past ten years. He had always found the man honest. Though defendant had looked after his office on many occahis opinion, he could not have seen and R293 Jaffer Mohamed. complainant's bag in the dark.

Defendant in evidence said that he was on his way to an address in Kennedy Road to take a receipt for several bottles of wine delivered earlier in the day. The person who ordered the wine was not at home when he first called; that was why he went there at night, after his

that defendant did not commit the from the majority of inland stations alleged their and remanded him for this is uncertain. Local forecast:-24 hours to have his eyes examined. N. E. winds, moderate; fair.

AMERICAN SHIPPING LOSSES

MUST BUILD UP TO MEET COMPETITION OTHER TRADE IS SOUND

Washington, Dec. 27. The United States is in danger of losing her share of ocean trade routes unicss her merchant marine is modernised and placed on a competiilve basis with foreign fleets, declared Mr. Daniel C. Roper, Minister of Commerce, in his annual report to the President to-day.

However, the remainder of his report is optimistic, and points out that prosperity is increasing. "The market improvement which has characterised the two preceding fiscal years continued to gain throughout 1035 and 1936," he said.

Recent shipping legislation, commission, may help to solve the merchant marine problems, but it is imperative that another move be made quickly in order to recoup the

ı dwindling ocean trade. It is estimated that for the calendar year 1935 the national income of \$53,000,000,000 was almost \$5,000, 000,000 ahead of the preceding year and \$13,400,000,000 above that of 1032. It is estimated that carnings will aggregate \$60,000,000,000 in 1936.

Manufacturing volume, it is estimated, has increased 20 per cent. freight traffic ten, construction 75, and wholesale prices 2.6 per cent. compared with last year, which was up 2.5 per cent. over, 1932. Steel production in June was 70 per cent. compared to 41 per cent, of the corres-An employee of Messrs. Dodwell bonding month of 1935, and there business is nearly back to the point "peak years."—United Press.

POLICE RESERVE WEEK

Orders by the Hon, Mr. T. H. King, The Inspector General of Police Col. McNerlan corroborated Mrs. and Deputy Superintendent of Police Monn's statements and added that (Reserve) wish all ranks of the when he took defendant into custody Hongkong Police Reserve a Happy

Indian Company

Training Course: Part II.—The undermentioned - members of the Indian Company will attend Indian Company Headquarters on Tuesday, December 29 at 17.30 hours for Part II of Training Course:—Constables R201 S. I. Bux, R210 Abdullah Shah, R213 S. B. Hussian, R216 Lal Khan, R236 M. S. Dillon, R207 Fazal Hahi sions, he had never missed anything. Oppni, R206 Mohamed. All Oppni, Defendant's eyes were bad, and, in R225 Kasim All, R226 A. R. Razack

D. S. P. (R).

The anticyclone remains over China and has weakened consider-His Worship said it was possible ably, but in the absence of reports

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HEAVY LOSS IN MONGKOK FIRE

-due London, 6th February.

(Continued from Page 1.)

mainland fire fighting units are still at work, assisted by two fire floats.
In order to control the traffic in the locality, some scores of extra police were stationed at various points, whilst assistance was also given by members of the St. John Ambulance Corps.

Governor Looks At Big Blaze

While he was returning from his

For some time His Excellency watched the efforts of the firemen, tramping from one to another point of vantage, and paying close attention to the detail of their work. He remained until the fire was under con-

instructed his chauffeur to approach

During the absence from the Colony of Miss Elma Kelly, who is taking short leave, the Hongkong branch of Messrs. Millington, Ltd., will be in charge of Mr. H. Coleman.

Receiving injuries as a result of a

lodge at Fanling this, morning, His fall down the stairs of his house in Excellency the Governor. Sir An- Shaukiwan, Li Hang, aged 42, was drew Caldecott, saw the leaping removed to the Government Civil flames of the Mongkok fire and Hospital for treatment yesterday.

HOLLYWOOD



Hollywood, and particularly the film colony, got the surprise of a life-time when Miss Mary Pickford, former wife of Douglas Fairbanks, Sr., announced her engagement to "Buddy" Rogers, crooning band leader and onetime juvenile film lead. Here

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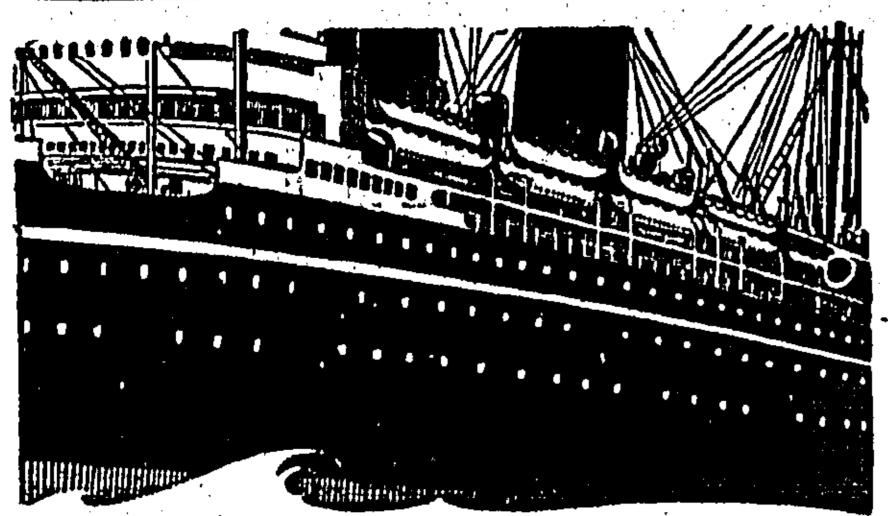
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Mrs. Mann stated that while she was standing near Flagstaff. House on the night of the 24th, defendant ORDERS FOR CURRENT came up close to her, looked her in the face, snatched her purse and ran away. She screamed and her shout attracted Cpl. A. McNerlan, who

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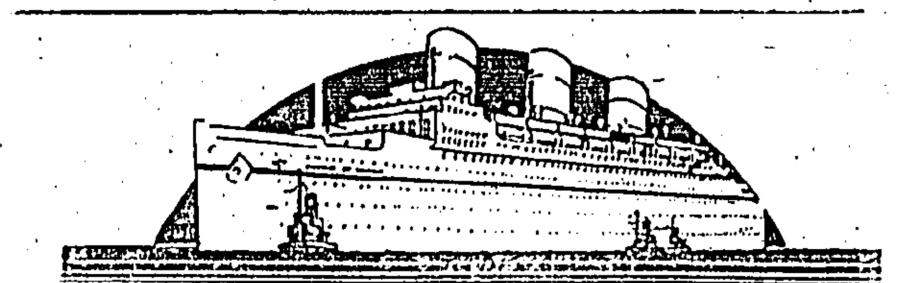
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CINEMA NOTES

Alaska . . seal poaching . the adventures of the United States These are the principal elethat comprise something "different" in screen stories, for Universal's "The Sea Spoilers," showing to-day at the Alhambra Theatre. Besides these refreshing elements of story theme and background, "The Sea Spoilers," offers John Wayne in his first starring role under the Universal banner. The breaking up of a relentless ring of seal poachers, on the world famous seal rookeries of Pribiloff Islands, is central theme of the story. While John Wayne, as Commander of a Coast Guard cutter, is chasing the ponchers, his sweetheart, played by Nan Grey, is kidnapped and held hostage by the gang. John Wayne faces tests of courage and wins pro-motion through his thrilling exploits. The final struggle to capture the stronghold of the poachers is set to exciting tempo of a pitched battle. Besides Miss Grey as his leading lady, there is a supporting east which includes Fuzzy Knight, William Bakewell and Russel Hicks. Frank Strayer directed from a story by Stuart and Dorrell McGowan, "Modern Times"

Charlle Chaplin in "Modern Times," the comedian's new comedy comes to the Majestic Theatre for to-day. Almost two years in production, Chaplin's first picture in almost | months' hard labour. five years is also his most pretentious. Like its predecessor, "City Lights," "Modern Times" is without it and finds herself under arrest, taken five boxes of Dr. Williams' pink dialogue, but boasts some novel Then comes the dilemma. Should pills, my health was completely sound effects. The girl, a gamin of she fight for her freedom? If she the water front to whom Charlie does her tawdry past is sure to be have done for years, and am able to plays knight errant, is played by revealed, and, more important, the Chaplin's lovely new leading lady, children who loved her would know. Paulette Goddard, who has been If she doe n't fight, the past will not pronounced a genuine screen find, be revealed but there is a long infl Others in the cast are Chester Con- nentence ahead. Included in the -klin, Henry Bergman and Hank cast, besides Glades Grorge, and Mann. "Modern Times" is released Arline Judge and John Howard as through United Artists.

"Vallant is the Word for Carrie" A dilemma faced by a womanfall on the one hand, or dishonour in the eyes of two children who she adopted and brought up as her own on the pleture "Valiant Is The Word Wesley Ruggles. for Carrie," which is showing to-day at the Queen's Theatre. Taken from Barry Benefield's best-selling novel, and introducing Gladys George, famous stage actress, to the screen, "Valiant Is The Word For Carrie" is a powerful story of a woman's resurrection through mother-love and the great sacrifice she is willing to ms [undergo in payment for the borbringing up the children, Carrie Snyder, played by Miss George, is move has to be made. Carrie makes | tions," a screen play suggested by a grand evening's entertainment.

TWO YOUNG BURGLARS

JAPANESE BARBER ROBBED

Two youths, Chan Hing, aged 18, and Au Kwols-chol, aged 17, both unemployed, appeared on remand before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of burglary at No. 82 Jaffe Road, ground floor, on December 23. The property taken comprised four pieces of clothing, a pair of shoes, a felt hat, and a fountain pen, valued altogether at \$20. The complainant was Mr. Maeda, a Japanese barber.

Detective-Sergeant Estall said first defendant was arrested on information on December 25, and admitted to England. having committed the burgiary in company with two other men, one of whom was second defendant, on December 23 at 3 a.m. He told the police he entered the house by stepping on second defendant's shoulders. and jumping into the back yard. All

First defendant had a previous conviction for burgiary and unlawful possession of instruments fit for an unlawful purpose, and second defendant had convictions for inceny and being found in a dwelling house for an unlawful purpose,

the boy and girl, Isabel Jewell, Harry Carey, Dudley Digges, William Collier, Sr., John Wray, and little Jackie Moran and Charlene

Wyatt as the boy and girl as children. The film was directed by "Our Relations" Theatre-goers, enjoying through the years the side-splitting effusious W. W. Jacobs' short story, "The and the rib-tickling screen fantasies | Money Box," is to be classed as the of Laurel and Hardy rub their eyes | best vehicle they have ever steered of mirth and wonderment at the to universal favour. It is a Stan King's Theatre at the showing of Laurel production. Another pleasant the Hal Ronch-M-G-M feature surprise—an innovation for Laurel comedy, "Our Relations". The thin and Hardy-is the artistic and rowed happiness which was hers in shy Stan, and his rotund, jolly part- realistic background given their ner, "Ollie," appear together as most elaborate production under brothers-lean, whimsical "Alf," and the able direction of Harry a woman of dubious background fat, pompous "Bert," in a series of Lachman. Many of the pretentious who adopts two waifs as her own, episodes so natural and riotously sets, for the glamorous and Through them she finds love and funny that the audience is intrigued | spectacular | scenes | would | serve because of them she gives up her and kept in a constant state of ex- appropriately enough for former life. The years roll on The pectation. It is the famous fun dramatic performance. The musical place and happiness of her little team's first essay of dual roles in a score by Leroy Shield hits a

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"I was living in India for three years, and while there I contracted innlarial fever, and for a while my life was despaired of. Although recovered somewhat, the tropical climate was too much for me and had to feave my husband and return

"After my return, however, I was subject to recurring attacks of the malaria and I dreaded the approach of symptoms foretelling on attack. suffered from chills, my appetite went completely and the very sight of food was distasteful to me. This the clothing had been recovered, but went on until I became almost a the other property had been thrown complete mental and physical wreck, and didn't even wish to live.

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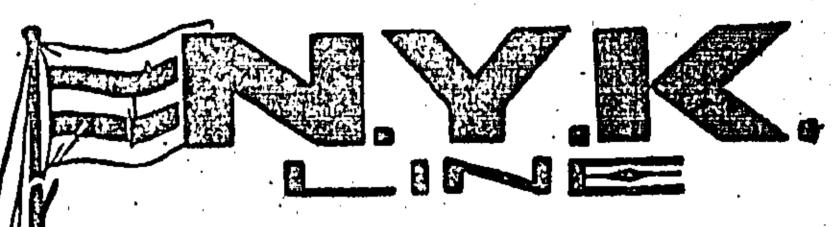
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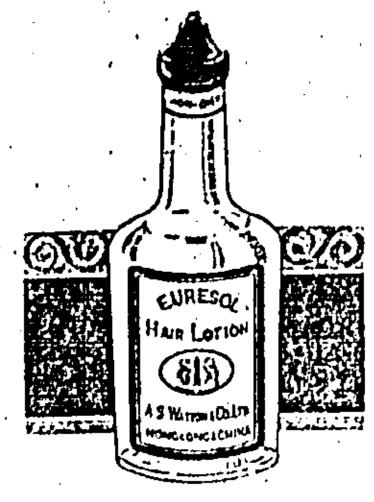
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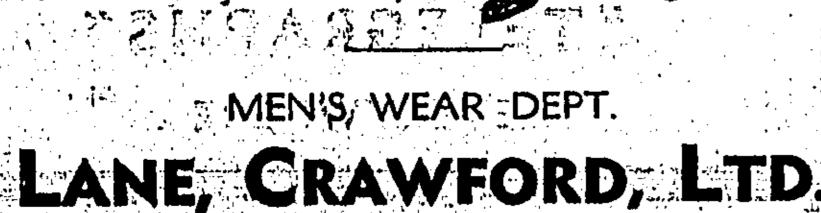
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Pjongkong Telegraph.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1936.

WHO WANTS WAR?

a speech made some few weeks | porary exiles. . ago by Dr. Goebbels, the German Minister of Propaganda, in which he severely condemned of a coming war. Such talk, or to fade out in some the Caliphs flits to and tro be-powerful again. he said, made him almost des- climatic retreat—it would tween a Riviera luxury-hotel pair for the future of Europe, be rash to prophesy, yet one one." adding that no nation wanted war but only demanded it when public opinion agitated for it. There is a point, however, which namely, that there are many countries to-day in which public opinion is cultivated or commanded from above, the people mised apartments at Bucking-funds were forthcoming. not being permitted to think or speak for themselves. It can thus be argued that such people will demand war when their Governments tell them to demand it, by working them up to a pitch of patriotic fervour, or apparently built that way, and hatred of one nation or group of nations, which in the long run must lead to hostilities. Therefore, a tremendous res- NE who has now done more ponsibility rests on the Governments of totalitarian States, to see that the utterances and action of their leaders do not produce mass feeling conducive to the outbreak of war. It is, we believe, perfectly true, as Dr. Goebbels remarked, that the people of Europe want to live in peace, but when Governments constantly talk and think in terms envisaging a possible war, a definite danger does arise. As we survey world conditions today, and note the wave of unrest and suspicion which is almost everywhere apparent, it difficult to escape the conclusion that the responsibility for this unhappy state of affairs lies primarily Cwith Governments, and not peoples. The question of peace or war thus rests on statesmen. Given a universal war, but the situation will never will, by all Governments, never to resort to war if there are the same determination being other means available for the applied to positive peace efforts

Exited Royalty: Belgiv-Archduke Otto, Hopsburg claimant to

the Austrian throne, in Hungarian gala dress. Centre-his

mother, ex-Empress Zita, and, right -the Old Etonian

ex-King of Siam, who prefers retirement in Surrey to

the troubles of a throne.

RULERS in EXILE

-and how they live

Ferdinand Tuohy,

It was refreshing to read of growing list of contem-

be rash to prophesy, yet one one."

A SELECTIVE form of exile is the internationally aspect seems already de- The facts were slightly dif- A that of the abdicated Old Hapsburg Changes termined: he will not want. ferent.

under der Michiganische die Stratische Bergeiter besticht beitre der Stratische bereicht der Schafter bei der

ham Palace; the next, he and his consort were outcasts on Lake Geneva, magnetic point for exiles past and present.

Since then Amanullah sincerely tried to earn a livelihood Among other things he was an house agent. But he was not to-day lives very modestly in

Lord of the Riffs

than ten years of St.-Helenalike exile is Abd-el-Krim, the tough old Riffian who, after running the Spaniards into the Mediterranean, was to cause France's admirable Moroccan forces much worry before finally Marshal Petain disposed of him.

trouble again, even be France's firm friend.

But the French thought of Nations appears to be otherwise. Krim would be betsuccumbing under a sea of troubles;

Only One Answer To drive away fear from humanity was what Nansen wanted; he
who did not understand what fear

that persistence in this kind of seem to be any real threat of being endangered. The trouble may never arise.

further name to the remains, surrounded by wives, end. offspring, and attendants.

Others have fiared worse and daughters arrived at falling royal barometer at home.

Caliph and Kaiser

between Nice and Aix-les-Bains, now made a base in Rome, with Paris, even at this time of day on the strength of several one unmarried daughter. thousand a year put up by The odyssey of the ex-will eventually be obliged to Indian Princes.

ingly provided fortitude, plus nearly six years. panion in "the Empress."

HE arrival of the extension and the way, on the Author of "Crazyways, Europe" King in Italy adds a Ocean, in which tropical spot he Prussian Court-in-exile to the

As the Dutch squire he will The writer once had to buy a chop less and less wood and tend box of paints for an exile, the more and more his roses until Just what will be the run ex-Caliph. At the time or his the day when (to transcribe a of things for this latest reone read that "Andul Medjid's to Potsdam, for the last time,
cruits — whether he is
personal belongings filled a neet "in a wooden box." But he will destined to hold the stage of forries" and that "the last of have lived to see Germany

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Etonian King of Siam, who preMustapha Kemal gave Abdul fers Surrey to Bangkok, ostenSHALL this family's exile
for Surrey to Bangkok, ostenfinish first? It is in a way Ex-King Edward has a large 500 pounds Turkish and six sibly because he wished to finished already, since has not personal fortune in addition to hours in which to leave Stam- retain the power of life and the eldest daughter been attendthe £50,000 per annum which boul. The party of sixteen death over his subjects, but is most pertinent to this issue, will be granted by Parliament. sons, secretaries, wives (four), possibly also on account of a ing official occasions in Vienna?

Take the once-feted ex-King of Montreux without the proverbial The ex-Emperor Pu Yi of is already double or treble the Afghanistan. One year Amanul- bean and had to remain two China can go most places, as pre-war normal, yet constitutes lah was staying in Orient months "in pawn" there until Japanese puppet in Manchukuo, only half the story in 1986. save to his native land, a con. There are exiles in other dition that also applies to the spheres. ex-Khedive, Abbas Hilmi II., To mention but two: Alexan-

Empress Zita of Austria and her knuckle under to Social-De-William II. will this winter family of eight should make mocracy. complete 18 years in Holland, good memoirs one day. Sten- Delicate, but more brilliant where he still seems to be go- nockerzeele, a turreted and than ever, Leon Trotsky is ing strong. Zeal for religion, monted, grim Flemish chateau currently moored in Scandinavia. carrying an unweavering belief near Brussels, has by much He has not wasted his days in in his Divine Right, has seem- been their longest fixed point: exile, having completed one of

There's slim chance now, but in a British monitor and carried International directed at world that William II. will read the down to the Black Sea; Malta, revolution.

two attempts to regain the throne of Hungary); Funchal, poverty, and the death of Karl; years of family kindergarten in a Spanish fishing village near Santander, with just sufficient funds to keep going; then the haven in Belgium, and the gradually increasing importance. of Otto internationally.

the eldest daughter been attend--

Such a list as the foregoing

ABDUL, a jaunty septuagen- vis-a-vis Egypt. der Kerensky lives the difficult arian, spends his evening Ex-King Alfonso of Spain has life of a free-lance journalist in still hopeful that Communism

the greatest histories ever the luck of a second good com- Previously, what a nomadic written before settling down to struggle it had been! Rescued the planning of his Fourth

plored his captors that he be allowed to stay on in his native hills: he would never give trouble again even he France's

machinery which has been life to aid the League, which created for the purpose of avoid- Nansen, her husband, did so much to ing war, nations are disposed to place on a seemingly sure footing. To the lonely Norwegian farm go their own way, thinking sole- came a letter from Lord Cecil. ly of benefits to themselves, Knowing her to be a woman of great even ignoring the possibility foresight and experience, imbued husband's most devoted with much of the indomitable spirit When the call reached

interview, I believe, that she has in my life I; spoke in public. ever given. When I saw her at her be wholly satisfactory until hotel, she was accompanied by her "The Awful Menace" there is general evidence of fourteen-years-old son, a boy of olmost miraculous beauty...

proclaim to the world that one must been alive. The characteristic feature ing of the aggression's war. When settlement of differences, there ments in preparation for conthat I have come back into society, set out to explore the Arctic regions; do, then there will be no more wars could be no question of peace tingencies which, it is hoped, It was Lord Cecil that asked me to nor when he entered the field to -at least wars of aggression. Of come here. "He was one of my light for peace.

By HANS HABE In an interview with Mrs. Fridtjo

of the great Nansen, and fully thought that I had heard Nansen's should selfishly pursue our private policy may eventually lead to a understanding his ideals, he oppended voice urging me to start for Brusmajor world conflict. Happily, to her to return to aid the cause her sels, so as to bring my modest that surrounds us. at the moment there does not husband loved so well. In Brussels contribution to the great task of she gave me an interview, the first peace. Yesterday for the first time hope in the League of Nations. He

"I tried to say something that he talked of the horror of war, the "I have come to Brussels to Nansen would have said had he crime of war, he was always think-

"To drive away fear from human-

to go with him everywhere and grew to know a lot about political life, but I never mixed in it myself. And to-day I should not have left my little farm near Oslo if the feeling had not come over me that I at present, it is wrong that we

"Nansen hated war and put great foresaw that to keep peace it would one day be necessary for the world to go to war. But Nansen only talked of war of aggression. When



APOLOGIES

Only Case That Ever Kept Me Awake'-Lord Hewart To the Y.

MURDER DRAMA OF GOLD HIDDEN IN KNOB OF BED

ORD HEWART, Lord Chief Justice, recently revealed.

- The drama behind the cold phrase you read in every murder trial report-"Counsel for the prosecution."
- The drama behind a murder trial of two youths 22 years ago —"the only case that ever kept me awake."
- The drama behind the abandonment of the younger boy's appeal against a penal servitude sentence as an accessory after the facts.

YEARS AGO-

CEORGE BALL, 22 years old, was hanged at Walton Jail. Liverpool, in February 1914, for the murder of Miss Christina Catherine Bradfield, whose body was placed in a sack and thrown into a Liverpool canal.

18, was sentenced to penal servitude for four years as an accessory after the fact.

Piercing Eyes Are A Myth

Decio, Dec. 15. The belief that eagles are gifted with piercing eyes, and hence with an exceptionally strong eyesight, seems to be a legend.

Here's a story which tells why:— | A royal eagle frightened by the rifle shots of alpine game hunters flew down the valley in search of a more secure refuge.

Passing over the village of Paina, houses. Scenting a good prey, the eagle swooped down with full wings and swift spirals, and began to beak furlously at the supposed prey. The one-sided fight lasted several minutes and ended with the royal bird getting groggy, and with barely enough strength left to seek refuge in a bell-tower situated close to the scene of the fight.

The eagle had mistaken for a live chicken the metal weathercock which for centuries had been revolving on top of the church spire.

The disappointed bird came to still worse grief shortly thereafter when a hunter, who had witnessed the unequal fight from the street, rushed with a shot gun to a roof across the belfry, and from there killed the

The bird, which had a two metre wing span, is now an exhibit in the Desio's museum.

Plus XI.

Speaking as the first Baron of Bury, Lancaster, to the Association of Lancastrians at their annual dinner at Hotel Great Central he told first of his emotions in the case as

THE CROWN COUNSEL

COURT was the only case in my life in which I wrote out several times the first three sentences of my address to the jury. "I knew that sooner or later I should have the terrible task of crossexamining these two lads as they gave their story in the witness-box. levery word of which I expected would be true but was being told CAMUE. A. ELTOFT, aged, about some other person when really the actors were themselves,

THE CONVICTION

667 THOSE lads were convicted—one L of the murder, the other of being an accessory after the fact-and Mr. Justice Atkin, as he then was, passed upon the older boy the only sentence which the law knows in such a case, and passed a short term of penal servitude upon the younger

Learned counsel appearing for that second prisoner-learned counsel of no little courage-immediately gave notice of appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeal in the hope that he might get rid even of that sen-

"Then a very strange thing happened. One of the main facts on behalf of the younger prisoner was that, so far as anybody knew. he had never had any share of the plunder.

"The plunder was £5.

THE APPEAL

66 DEFORE the case came on in the D Court of Criminal Appeal—you look to changed conditions. the bird sighted what she thought may know, perhaps, that both sides was a chicken flying above the in a proper case may give additional evidence there-I had the disagreeable task of serving upon the solicitar of that young prisoner a notice! of additional evidence.

"Aditional evidence which, if it that after the conviction some detective officers visited his house, removed the brass cap from the pillar at the bottom of his bedstead, and there found two the top of the upright pin.

the Court of Appeal was abandoned."

That was not the speech Lord Hewart had prepared for the dinner -but an earlier speaker, Lord Atkin, now a Lord of Appeal, was judge at the trial, had recalled that it was Declo is the birthplace of Pope one of "Mr. Gordon Hewart's" first Treasury briefs.

Y. MEMBER TO BEWILDERED FRIEND: There goes Jenny. the cow of our new pantomime.

War-time Premier Says We Have Lost Naval Supremacy

Melbourne, Dec. 21. MR. W. M. HUGHES, war-time Prime Minister of Australia, and now Minister of Health, said to-day that British naval supremacy had gone and asked how Britain would feed her

"How will our ships get to Britain?" he demanded at a Legacy ! Club lunctieon in Melbourne,

"How can people talk of Australian troops being sent to Europe in enemy, said Mr. Hughes, and this the event of another war in which time Japan was her ally. He advo-Britain might be involved?" In face of the feverish activity among European nations to streng-

then their armaments, the public

MEN AND TIME

He suggested to Sir Samuel Houre, First Lord of the Admiralty, that half the trouble arose from the inability of men to adjust their out-

The conquest of the air had revolutionised warfare, yet many

EXCHANGE

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formulating a policy of defence. based on the conditions of 1914. Germany might again be the ented the full force of collective

defence experts persisted in

sanctions to avert disaster. To-day the German air fleet could drop 600 tons of bombs on London in could not preserve Olympic serenity. 24 hours, compared with 300 tons during the whole of the great war .--United Press.

FAMILY DENOUNCE PEACE AWARD

BERLIN. Dec. 21.

The message says: "We have no "We disapprove most sharply of

good service in the interest of world

The award is worth about £8,000.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF P. & O. Use £6,000,000 Of EVERYTHING HAS A CAUSE, AND THE A married woman, Yung Wal-fung,

W. J. Turner.

Down Fleet TMPORTANT changes, which reduce substantially the amount required for depreciation each year, are dis-

Steam Navigation Company. A rearrangement of finances within the group, arising from realisation of assets in the winding-up of a subsidiary company and distribution from reserves in another subsidiary, has resulted in the creation of a special reserve of £6,481,434.

closed in the accounts of the Peninsular and Oriental

Reserves To Write

The directors have applied £5,-931,434 of this sum to writing down the fleet which, exclusive of pnyments on account of steamers under construction, now stands in the books at £5,695,108. A year ago the book value of the

ficet was £12,602,872. The actual amount charged against profits for depreciation this

year is £880,000, compared with £1,313,944 in the previous year. In 1935 £450,000 was transferred from reserve to help meet depredation on the usual basis.

ducing the annual charge for depre- of 4 per cent, less tax.

PROFITS JUMP

The profit and Joss account shows that receipts from voyages increased from £1,054,862 to £1,284,923, while dividends from subsidiary companies amounted to £371,599 against

The net profit works out at £328,910, compared with £156,-999 in 1935, which sum was arrived at after including the transfer from reserve of £450,000.

As already announced, dividends These changes, in addition to re- are being resumed with a payment

tial surplus on depreciation account | conditions on the various roules, and 833, whereas no less than £16,931,- Straits, China, and Japan trades, a Appearing on remand before Mr.

K. Keen at the Central Magistracy this morning. Tang Shu-kung, aged 17, was sentenced to one month's hard labour for having stolen from his brother, Tang Shu-fan, of 19 Un Sing Lane, on December 24; three suits of clothing and an alarm clock.

A 23-year-old unemployed man Chau Yun-tim, was brought before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with assaulting his widowed mother, Lau Sin, aged 58, at No. 11 Mallory his mother for money to purchase fendant's record showed that he had and told him that he would receive treatment for his opium habit in the gaol hospital.

with a very bad police record, was this morning, both showing signs of brought before Mr. K. Keen at the injuries to their face and heads. The Central Magistracy this morning, man war charged with assaulting the charged with having stolen a foun- woman at No. 30 Centre Street, firsttain pen from Tang Man-ching, of 21 floor. Inspector Hourihan said a Chlu Lung Street. The theft oc- constable went up to the floor on' curred in Des Voeux Road on Thurs- hearing shouts, and found the woman day when defendant, who was pass- kitting on the floor. The man told ciation, have resulted in a substant. The directors summarise trading ing complainant in the street, took him that the woman had struck him the pen from his top coat pocket, over the head with an earthenware Depreciation to date, at 5 per cent. state that since the close of the Defendant was sentenced to four pillow, smashing it to pieces. He per annum on the cost of the accounts there has been a consider- month? rigorous imprisonment, with had then struck the woman in retalinsteamers would amount to £12,612,- able diminution in cornings in the a further order that he be placed tion. The quarrel was over money. under police supervision for a year Both defendant and complainant were 185 has been written off. fact which is causing some anxiety. after the prison sentence had been bound over in the sum of \$25 to keep

CAUSE OF ANYTHING IS EVERYTHING .- 1 living at No. 120 Apliu Street, attempted to commit suicide by jumping into the harbour from the ferry launch Man Wai. She was rescued and taken to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment. Wong Po, an unemployed man, also jumped into the harbour from the same launch, and was rescued and sent to hospital.

A fine of \$50, or six weeks' hard labour, was imposed on Chan Chol. aged 20, unemployed, when at the Central Magistracy to-day he admitted the theft of a bottle of sweets valued at \$1 from No. 237 Des Vocux Road, the property of Tang Hop, married woman, Inspector Hourihan said defendant was arrested Street, second floor. Detective- by a district watchman while carry-Sergeant Estall said defendant asked ing the bottle under his arm. Deoplum, and when he was refused, signed a bond on December 4 last threw a wooden stool at her, culting for his future good behaviour, and her forehead. His Worship inflicted this was enforced, a further fine of a fine of \$75 with the option of two months' hard labour on defendant, given.

A married couple, Wong Choi, nged 37, salesman, and Cheung King, a woman, appeared before Mr. W. A man named Mak Ying, aged 21, Schoffeld at the Central Magistracy terved. Sergoant Orem prosecuted. the peace for one year.

ERADIO BROADCAST

Duke of Kent

MASSED BANDS RELAY

Radio Programme Broadcast by Z.B.W. on a wavelength of metres (845 k.c's), 31.49 metres (9.52 megacycles).

5-8 p.m. European Programme. 5 p.m. A Relay of Dance Music from the Roof-Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

6.15 p.m. A Relay of a portion of the Orchestral Concert by the Mussed Royal Marine Bands (Kind permission of Vice Admiral Sir Charles Little, K.C.B.) from the China Fleet Club. Under the Direction of Mr. R. E. Compton, L.R.A.M.

7 p.m. London-Big Ben. A Message by H.R.H. the Duke of Kent, on the Occasion of the centenary of the State of South Australia.

7.05 p.m. A Pinnoforte Recital by Ignaz Friedman. Mazurka—Op. 24, No. 4, (Chopla). Mazurka—Op. 33, No. 4, (Chopla). Berceuse (Chopin). 7.18 p.m. Three Arias by Enrico

Caruso, (Tenor). "Xerxes"-Ombra Mai Fu (Han-

Agnus Del (Bizet). "Marta"-Like a dream (Flotow). _7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 p.m. Variety. Band -- Memories of Horatio Nicholls.... Debroy Somers Band; Vocal-Would you?..., Greta Keller; Vocal-When the moon hangs high... .. The Hill Billies; Orchestra-We've got Rhythm-Fox-Trot Medley.... Mario Lorenzi and his Rhythmies. All my life; Vocal-Where am 1?

..... Leslie Hutchinson. 8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. 8.03 p.m. A Relay from the Chinese Theatre. 11 p.m. Close Down.

8.05-11 p.m. European Programme From Z. E. K. On a Frequency Of 640 Kilocycles, 8.05 p.m. Vienna Boheme Occhestru.

Llebesleld Sorrow), (Kreisler); Liebesfreud (Love's Joy). Valse (Kreisler); Romantique (Heinecke); Die Hochzeit der Winde, Waltz (Hall).

8.18 p.m. Mavis Bennett (Soprano) and Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).

Peter Dawson-The Strong go on

(Thayer); Good green acres of Home (Kahal and Fain); Mavis Bennett-The Doll's Song (Offenbach); Peter Dawson-Covered Wagon Lullaby (Freeman and Leonard); Mavis Bennett-Pretty Mocking (Bishop); Peter Dawson-Rolling alone (Akst and Richman); Load the covered wagon (Kane and Hunt). 8.43 p.m." Tintagel" and "Mediterranean" (Bax) by the New Symphony Orchestra, Conducted by

Eugene Goosens. 9 p.m. London-News and Announcements. 9.20 sp.m. Orquesta

Roberto Firpo. Pasodoble-Bella Espanola; Tango -- La Carcajada; Rumba -- La Curcaracha: Tango-A media luz; Pasodobie-Por ml morena; Pasodo-

ble-Curro en el oro. 9.40 p.m. Reginald Dixon at the Cinema Organ. 11 p.m. London-Big Ben.

Dance Music. 11 p.m. Close Down.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

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Algn	Frequ	ency -	Wave	longth
GSA	. 6,500	k.c.	49.59	metres
GSH	9,510	k.c.	21.55	rast res
GSC	9,585	k.e.	31,30	metres
GSD	11.750	k.c.	25.52	met res
CSE	11,865	k.c.	25.28	restron
GSP .	15,140	k.c.	19.82	metres
CIBC	17,700	k.c.	16.56	metres
GSIL	21,670	k.c.	17.97	metres
GBI .	15.260	k.c.	19.44	metres
GSJ .	21.540	k.c.	19.66	metres
GSI,	4,110	k.c.	49.10	metrei
G80	15,180	k.c.	19.74	metres
GSP	15,310	k.c.	19.40	metres

Transmission 1

(G.S.Ji., G.S.O.) Big Ben. A Short Recital by James Walker Planist). 4.10 p.m. The B.B.C. Empire Orchestra. 5.40 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 5.45 p.m.

Transmission 2

(G.S.G., G.S.H.) Big Ben. A Message by H.R.II. the Duke of Kent, on the occasion of the Centenary of the Binter of South Australia.
7.15 p.m. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 7,30 p.m. 'Empire Exchange.' 7.45 plm. Haydn Heard and his Band. from the West End Cinema.

Birmingham. 7.55 p.m. Grand Christmas Pantomime. 8.55 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 9.15 p.m. 9.15 p.m. A Violencello Recital.

Transmission 3

(G.S.B., G.S.F., G.S.H.) 10 p.m. Big Ben. A Mrseage by H.R.H. the Duke of Kent, on the occasion of the Centenary of the State of Bouth Australia. . 10.5 p.m. A Programme of New Dance Records. 19.30 p.m. A Ballad Concert. Il p.m. 'Festival of Food.' 11.30 p.m. Harry Parmer, at the Organ of the Granada, Tootlar,

12 a.m. Sonata Recital. 12.30 a.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 12.45 a.m.

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"I HAVE IT" SAYS WONG WAH-GAY

Hotly pressed during yesterday's league football match between South China "B" and the Fusiliers, Wong Wah-gay, Chinese goal-keeper, dives for the ball with Taibot in close attendance. Wong's

smart goalkeeping was a feature of the match. (Photo: Mee

Championship Hopes Are Beginning To Dwindle

FUSILIERS GET A LATE GOAL & THE POINTS

CHINESE CLEVER IN MIDFIELD, BUT SHOOT BADLY

KEATING DISPLAYS BEST FORM

Fusiliers 1 S. China "B" 0

MF South China "B" hadn't been so terribly vague in their front-of-goal work in this match played yesterday at Sookunpoo, they would have won instead of suffering their second league defeat of the season.

goals, they either shot accurate- nearly brought about the downfall of ly, but weakly, or powerfully, the Chinese goal. but inaccurately.

were the worst possible offenders, which in turn only served to accentuate the unselfishness which bordered on the topponness, or Cheuk Shek-kam and Yeung Shulyick, the two Chinese forwards who looked at all capable of finding the

But when one has said all about the weak finishing of the Chinese attack, it has still to be acknowledged covered their defences well by tion, and held out. splendid positional play. And when they were able to tackle squarely, the tackle was rarely made without effect. Kenting was for ever in the thick of the fray, bobbing up at the most unexpected moments to head or

The Fusiliers' half back line did not play with quite the same confidence. The wing halves appeared to be in two minds whether to concentrate on the wingers or the inalde men and as a result considerable territory was 'left' exposed, materially aiding the Chinese in their inanocuvres.

Wanklyn "policed" Young . rather eleverly to that centre-forward's disconcert, and Evans was brilliant in intermediates were more impressive largely responsible for the many dangerous raids made on the Chinese

The soldlers' attack hadn't anything like the finesse of their opposite. numbers, but they were thoroughgoing and it needed an alert defence to keep them at bay.

Talbot exploited his usual methods and tricks, which now and again bore fruit to the extent of putting his colleagues through for goal, but usually they were well anticipated and restored them to the leadership, fell to the floor.

WONG STRIKES BEST FORM

This must be said for the Fusiliers forwards. They kept Wong Wah-gay very much busier than Rowlands by the Chinese quintette. And Wong came out of the test with colours well uloft, even though he had to concede the vital goal. But he might have let in two more and still not be counted to blame. One save from Talbot when he dived full length, and another from Coakley, when he flung himself at the ball almost despairingly were high spots of a very excellent display.

Before him Leung and Chung played stoutly, and rather less hurriedly than their vis-a-vis, while the half backs were about on a par with the soldiers. Lam Tak-po was head and shoulders above his colleagues on the flanks, featuring a neat display with some first-class ball

distribution. Yeung Shul-yick and Cheuk Shakkam were for and away the best of the forward and did not seem to lively, but very indiscriminate, and ship." rather passive part in the game, of playing fields.—Reuter. though Cheuk, his partner, gave him many opportunities to shine.

CONTRASTING METHODS

The Chinese played the spectacular sootball, with the Fusiliers content straight-forward enslaughts by the quickest possible route. These contrasting methods were, in themselves, casy chances of scoring early on, the while the race was in progress. settled down. Later on their efforts Lambert was, with the aid of his Where Chinese Erred were more easily countered, but even I binoculars, able to which the rimwere more easily countered, but even | binoculars, able to watch the rungoal underwent a number of narrow seeing his horse, Manchester City, I little bit too confident after badly to a third division team. No

They were for ever cramming | The Fusiliers responded to the on the pace and setting the Chinese intricate manocuvres with Fusiliers' defence a merry some fast kick-ahead, through-thedance. But having created all ing subtlety, had the opposition on the openings necessary for tenterhooks and more than once

But though attack gave way to counter-attack throughout the Brat Chan Tak-fal and Henry Young half, the period finished without any score being registered.

by applying pressure, kept South China very much on the defence. Nevertheless it was not until a drew appeared inevitable, that Talbot managed to get in one of his best passes which Hughes immediately seized and converted into a goal, Stung into renewed action by this reverse, the Chinese practically that the Fusiliers' defence scored a monopolised things for the last great triumph. Wheeler and Keat- three or four minutes, but by this ing, though often flummaxed by the time Keating Wheeler and Co., had swift inter-passing of the opposition, secured full measure of the opposi-

BADMINTON EXHIBITION IN LONDON

(By Frank Poxon) - - -

An attempt is being made to patches. On the whole though the popularise Table Badminion in England. It is a game which already has in their creative work, and were a great vogue in the United States, and I think it will be popular here. A controlling body has been formed. The table is of the same dimensions as that used for Table Tennis. The net is, of course, higher, 13½in., and the games are 21 up. The rackets are a little smaller than the ordinary Badminton rackets. The price of the equipment is very small. There is just enough run to enable a player's arm to gr back with a free swing.

An exhibition was given recently by Leung In-chan and Chung Chi- at the British Industries Theatre, yan. Coakley was the most enter- | Marble Arch. It was claimed that, prising member of the attack, but he the shuttle, because of its special L 3, Portugal 1. This time, was not very well supported by Parry | texture, would never pass beyond the or Sullivan, and Hughes on the left bounds of the table. In last night's wing has played better games, though | exhibition games that claim was not | my own words. But who would to him goes the credit for scoring the established, for the shuttle very goal which gave his team two points frequently went over the table and

> Still, Table Badminton is a good game, and it may become very popular, for it provides the maximum of exercise in the minimum of space.

TURF TRIBUTE TO KING GEORGE V

Gordon Richards Among Group Organising Special Fund

Gordon Richards, champion jockey owners, trainers, bookmakers, and racegoers are to serve on a committee formed to organise a special fund to the memory of King George, him- The Open-Passing self a great patron of the turf and

regular racegoer. "The racing community" said a

his shooting fell very much below . All of the money subscribed to the par. Wong Ming-chung played a fund will be devoted to the provision

horse he owns win at Cardiff.

Fusillers' rearguard, not having From his position in the sky Mr.

successful.—Reuter.

Fusillers looked very much the better team in the second half, and

Clubhouse Chatter

By "'Veritas'

The Impossible Did Happen Last Saturday

EXTRAORDINARY RESULTS IN INTERNATIONAL CHARITY CUP MATCHES

I'll admit. I've been made to cat have thought such results pos-This child, for one, didn't, and now I have been put right on the spot so far as forecasting the result of the International. Charity Cup final is concerned. Perhaps it's just as well Czechoslovakia didn't enter a team in this competition! sceuring a lead in the first 20 mlnwisecrack — congrats! and send me a few notes on it.

months. Sandford's trickery and his inspiration." tireless energy so bolstered up the Mr. R. Lambert, a London business English attack that they were twice The Copy-Book man, had the unique experience of as dongerous as the Chinese. There to defend doggedly and to make watching from the sky the only race- was an effervescence about Smith's Versus Goals lendership which also added materi-He made the journey by aeroplane ally to the effectiveness of the for-hoping to arrive on the course before ward line. Laister played polished A attempt to create a record with highly diverting and kept the specia- the first race was run. Mr. Lambert, football at right half (but then he three successive annexations of the tors' interest at a high pitch. The was held up on the way, and, usually does), while Wolverson's International Charity Cup. But if Chinese were first on the offensive, realising that he would not be in time robustness allied with Swain's more China's defeat was surprising, Por-Chinese were first on the offensive, realising that he would not be in this measured and methodical work, made tugal's dismissal from the competi- Five Potential Both Chan and Young missed fairly told the pilot to circle over the course the defence next door to being im-

Our Daily Golf

When the bunker is deep, it is nothing short of suicidal to attempt anything in the matter of distance.

-G. Greenwood.

But to England and Wales, who lutes, or maybe it was because Engput my prognostication in the land's reply was so rapid and effecsame class as a Walter Winchell tive. Incidentally that equalising They goal of Sandford's demonstrated that the player has plenty of football are thoroughly deserved. That brains. It was neatly schemed and England-China game was a even more eleverly fulfilled. It also form in the final, I wouldn't bet a provided another illustration of how red cent on the result of the match. Stabilising the offside game can be played once affair, as witness the opinions too often. Though they conceded the New "Home" For F. A. of one of my scouts who was goals, the Chinese defence was much

tion was nothing less than sensational. It was a Hongkong dollar to Europe's War Debt that Portugal would win. Yet the real truth is that the best representative side | THE English football-season has In the closing stages the soldiers' ning. He had the satisfaction of the thought the Chinese became a available to Portugal went down I reached its halfway stage,

question of luck entered into Wales won on merits. Fairly and without a doubt. Portugal tried to play copy-book football, while Wales tried to score goals. And that was the precise difference between the teams after one has investigated all the pros and cons of the match. Wales were undoubtedly helped by a nervous display on the part of the Portuguese defence, who were plainly rattled by the Welsh shock tacties. Wales weren't at all disposed worry about the finer points academic football, yet they played scrupulously fair. The chief factors In their achievement were determina- [appreciation of what best to do with the ball, and an unexpected efficiency by the fates. in front of goal. These are qualities which will win cup-ties for any team, and if Wales can reproduce the same!

good enough to attend the match better than the attack, which sadly THE Hongkong Football Association Sussex missed the genius of Fung King- L moves into its new "home" on cheung, or even the creative work January 1. Room 205, which is of Lai Shul-wing. No denying the situated on the second floor of the forwards possessed the touches, but Gloucester Hotel, has been chosen, a little more directness would have and in consequence the Association produced better results. Experience will enjoy a little more space for | Sussex Cricket Club intend to ap- left performed the most amazing should have proved to them that you carrying out its duties. This is not peal to their members to increase, stickwork. The forwards treated the a special tribute to his late Majesty. 60NE of the best matches seen in can fool players like Swain and the first change in headquarters their subscriptions by 10 per cent. spectators to their usual agility in know what to do with the ball when as being one of them in his love of this competition for years. Wolverson some of the time, but most made by the F.A. At one time they to ask Horshum, Eastbourne and passing and dribbling. in possession. Chan Tak-fal was the open air and good sportsman. England exploited the open passing the time. After the initial quarter which they moved to take un track of the contract of the time. After the initial quarter which they moved to take un track one time and receipts for a period-of three in the line of the contract of England exploited the open passing the time. After the initial quarter which they moved to take up "re- gate receipts for a period-of three game magnificently. Everybody the time. After the initial quarter which they moved to take up "re- gate receipts for a period-of three game. game magnificently. Everybody of an hour, the English desence knew sidence" in the Sports Club. There years and to raise by 10 per cent. the next move as though each had China plant was coming next. they have enjoyed the kindly co- the rents of all schools and clubs Cheley; Corps, Davis, Sharp and Fus. the next move as though each mad China played nice football, but the operation of the club, though it has using the Hove ground. the dressing room for the last three team appeared to lack leadership and long been felt that in holding the In 1935 Sussex suffered on the Sports Club. It was this proximate deficit, together with the which largely actuated the F.A. to search for other headquarters. I understand the accommodation at the Gloucester Hotel includes a wide verandah, which, together with the large room, will provide ample space for holding meetings as well as for Mr. Bliss and his secretarial duties.

Champions

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BIG SCORES IN LOCAL CRICKET

THREE PLAYERS **GET 100'S**

418 RUNS IN LESS THAN FIVE HOURS

There was a characteristically festive air about Boxing Day cricket in the Colony, batsmen enjoying themselves thoroughly on quick-scoring wickets.

At the Cricket Club, for example, 382 runs were scored in the course of the day's game between the Club and Army. At the K.C.C. no less than 418 runs were hit up in something like four and three-quarter hours of actual play. Even on the large Navy ground at King's K.C.C. put together 340 runs in under five hours.

In all three matches bowlers were made to look rather sad. Perhaps the most astonishing innings of the day was Comdr. D'Arcy , Evans! century against the Kowloon Cricket | the only goal scored. Club second string. Altogether he was missed six times, and he should reaching 50. Some of the chances were a bit difficult; some were practically "sitters". But the offer- Airosa. ing of these "lives" in no way discouraged the enterprising Combowling. This is indicated by the fact that he hit a six, one five (all run) and 17 boundaries.

83 IN AN HOUR

the day was that of Pat Dunne, who scored 83 in something like an hour of actual batting. Of these 74 were made in boundary strokes. including one six. Yet, despite this huge hitting, Dunne did not his defence with lovely deliveries which just shaved the stumps.

Ernest' Fincher, who contributed 103 not out to the K.C.C. total or peared to be certain goals. 158 for 8, played a classical innings, said by those who watched it. in. rank as one of his best ever. All of the bowling came alike to him, and the skill with which he treated it can be gleaned from the fact that in the face of Boucher's five for 42, undoubtedly scored before half time he was able to find the boundary a dozen times and to score three quarters of his side's total.

Boucher's bowling on multing wicket was excellent while before lunch, Goodwin sent down some lovely stuff. The catch with which Sargent dismissed Lieut. Davies off his own bowling was one of the hottest seen in local cricket for a long while. The batsman stepped out to off-drive and connected with the middle of the bat. Practically nobody saw the ball leave the bat but the next instant it was safely lodged in the bowler's hands, who took it without batting an eyelld.

Alec Pearce's century, made in flawless manner, and Holden's smart bowling were the features of the Club-Army match. Army were very lucky to get away with a draw. Another little gem was McLellan's half century for the Club. When he and Pearce were together the Telegraph board had to work overtime. changing figures flashing on every minute or so.

Holden's 4 for 42 was the outcome of some stendy bowling, supported by excellent catching in the field, tion, speed, a quick and intelligent Club had by for the better of the game and were decidedly ill-treated

In 1935 Sussex suffered a loss of Association were somewhat imposing of £2,000 in 1936 makes an apprevious overdraft, of £0,300.

LOSS ON GLOUCESTERSHIRE CRICKET

Mr. Frank Wills, presiding over a meeting of the Gloucestershire Cricket Club Committee at Bristol stated that the accounts would not be made up until Dec. 31, but they already disclosed a heavy loss,

He mentioned that the whole of the professional staff had been offered engagements for next year.

Goddard's benefit has already realised £2,088.

MACAO

JUST WINS

Close Call In Smart Game

(By Our Own Correspondent)

Macao, Dec. 27. A closely contested game of hockey was played here this afternoon when a team of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, captained Park, the Nauticals' first string and by Cant. Dwyder Jones, met the formidable Macao Hockey Club, captained by Lacrtes de Costa. A large crowd of spectators zathered to witness the friendly encounter which Macao won by

Macao fielded Cardoso at right have been out three times before back, and R. Rosarlo deputised at centre half in the absence of Alex

Play, was fast and thrilling from mander from having a real go at the the outset, the visitors pressing the attack which was met with vigorous. resistance. Cardoso did full credit to his side by frustrating many clever movements. Attempting to Nevertheless the best knock of open the score, Dunby, right wing, managed to get past the opposing defence by working in close combination with the inside trie. The soldiers were unfortunate in failing give a chance. Only twice was he to secure a goal within the first uncomfortable. Foster getting past fifteen minutes. Almada proved to be a very reliable custodian for the home team twice saving what up-

Towards the interval the attack was transferred, and the Fusiliers were kept busy checking constant raids. Macao's forwards would have but for the splendid goalkeeping of Ludlow, the Fusiliers custodian.

MACAO SCORE

On resumption, the local forwards displayed wonderful understanding in-their-combination-and-continued to threaten the opposing goal. After some sitteen minutes, Pedrinho Angelo, centre forward, taking advantage of a neat pass by Costa, left half, drove a smashing shot from close range into the net leaving Ludlow no possible chance. A few minutes later Macao netted a second goal which was disallowed owing to an offside. Thereafter, both sides settled down to some pretty passing and, maintaining a clever defence, the Fusiliers resisted many desperate efforts by the Macao forwards. The Fusiliers forward line obtained several openings and pressed closely, but the alert Almada was able to keep his goal clear.

Shortly before the end, the home forwards approached the Fusiliers goal. A smart shot by F. Nolasco, left wing, hit the goal post and rebounded: Angelo then tried to shoot and after intercepting Ludlow was still to face another shot by Airosa, inside right. His smart save was greeted with a storm of applause.

For the Fusillers, Capt. Dwyder Jones, inside right, played inspiringly with Thomson at centre and Bruton, left inside. Sharp, centre half, destroyed many tactful combinations by the opposition, while Ludlow at goal met his tight situations so creditably that he well deserved the applause he received.

The winners were well served by Cardoso at back. R. Rosario intercepted very neatly in his new posttion at centre half while Costa at

The Fusiliers team consisted of Jones. Fus. Thomson, L/Corp. Bruton, Fus. Hall.

Playing for Macao were Almada: 'Cardoso, Lummert: J. Nolasco, R. Rosario, L. Costa: F. Nolasco, Airosa, P. Angelo, H. Rosario, A. Angelo, It may be recalled that when the Fusiliers played in Macao last season, they were defeated by eight

MACAO POLICE DEFEATED

In preparation for the Football League which is to begin here in January, the week-end has seen a continuance of interest in soccer. The Tenembrosa's eleven combatted with the Macao Police team in a relendly match in which the Custodians of Law and Order were beaten by a score of four goals to two.

Triangular Tourney Cricket Reports

CLUB FOILED BYARMY

DELIGHTFUL BATTING BY T. A. PEARCE AND MCLELLAN FULL DESCRIPTION OF GAME

(By R. Abbit)

The Club and Army game on Saturday was due to start at Il a.m. but a lot of people could not make it—a great pity in a one day match—and at 11.35 Kilbee and T. E. Pearce opened to Garthwaite at the Law Courts end and Murphy.

gloriously to long leg though his shot the end of an hour's play 91 runs over the gully's head was not so hot. had been scored.

Next over for some reason Murphy | Prichard then went on for Garthpavilion in spite of a good attempt off the over. by Daniells to get at it.

A DISASTROUS OVER

The first ball of the next over how-

men seemed to be playing themselves in and took some quick runs (while Pearce hit a four or two) when Owen

the batsman had obviously never considered the possibility of being out. On the question of the direction of a ball it is impossible for speciators hit 7 fours. After that Ride hit at full length and brought off a to judge, though it is a different

A USEFUL STAND

McLellan punched Garthwaite's short'un behind square leg and next over glanced Barron to fine leg and hooked him very hard—both bound—and a half minus a tea interval. It score at 46. I find on enquiry that ary hits. Off his next over Pearce was a difficult but not impossible the bowler's umpire-was-not-unsight-had a terrific crack but got it on the task. Holden and Owen Hughes ed and gave the short leg chance as end of the bat and dropped it not so bowled at their usual ends. It struck no catch. Had he connected fully I fancy the bowling to the left-hander. C.D.'s garden would have been crashDaniells kept going after the off
After ten Holden's first ball was
ed a bit. However there was no ball and Owen Hughes had a ring of snicked between the wicket keeper cut for four.

In the latter's first over Pearce | At the moment Garthwaite, who hooked the ball for two and later for had bowled nine very good and four-this last definitely Christmas steady overs, seemed to tire suddenly, fielding. Kilbee hooked Garthwalte and his last ball also reached the next over for a glorious four, boundary at square leg. One began Things went very slowly for a bit to hope that Pearce was going to and then Kilbee glanced Carthwalte play one of his brilliant knocks. At

served up two high full tosses to leg walte. Pearce square cut him for with both of which Kilbee dealt four, lifted one dangerously towards adequately. After two singles a mid-wicket or long on and then cut long hop to leg crashed to the a four well behind point—ten runs

Moreton went on for Barron. McLellan, who was batting uncommonly well, glanced him to long leg for four. After a single the last ever was straight though short of a ball of the over kept amazingly low length and Pearce missed it when and Pearce did very well to stop it. hooking 38-1-8. However Amurath McLellan only just avoided backward succeeded to Amurath and Alec point in Prichard's next over and Pearce square cut a four and then then Pearce hit a four to long leg to over as Bird used to do.

his second over there was a loud his own way. Timn was taken at writing) if the decision was referred appeal for a catch at the wicket off 12.58. 144 runs had been scored in to the square-leg umpire who was Alec Pearce's bat-but it was firmly 83 minutes. Good going. Pearce standing at point with a left-hander negatived by the umpire. The bats- was not out 67 and Mac. 37 not out. batting-and probably owing to the

AFTER TIFFIN

Pearce and McLellan resumed innings. (Incidentally I thought that Hughes played a leg shot at Barron their partnership and Pearce bit in a one day match the umpires very strongly. He completed his changed ends after each innings. a leg-bye—that he had been given hundred, with a six to square speak subject to correction.) ten and a single off Elvin The cricket was very slow and only China He was obviously very surprised who had come over to fill the blank 28 were scored in the first half hour. but I seem to remember he used to life. (191-4-100). The stand had When I woke up ten minutes later have rather a blind spot on his leg put on 130 very quickly. Pearce five more runs had been scored and stump when he used to play a sort hit a short one from Barron when the the batsmen were stonewalling, of "leg-persunder" shot. I mention latter went on again straight to mid soundly but not spectacularly until on. He had 17 fours and one six in the Club obliged with a four over R.W. Fusiliers 1 S. China "B" his century.

McLellan completed his fifty and At 41, however, Daniells played one was bowled hitting at Barron. He into the slips and Owen Hughes dived matter re height or knee bending. declaration was made at 249 for 6. lustily and was not out 41 when the miraculous catch. lahead of his place in the order. I

THE ARMY BAT

At three minutes past three out at Holden in the same order he far from long off standing very wide. me the former was not quite happy

mistake about his leg glance off three slips which reminded me very who just touched it and first slip and Garthwaite next over, a beautiful much of R. E. O. Bird's field, but to went for four. It was a chance, but shot which he followed by a late the right-hander Owen Hughes was a most difficult one. Elvin was now bowling round the wicket and not definitely brightening up and sent



Arms and legs went flying during this moment in the international Charity Cup match between China and England played on Saturday. China's goalkseper is seen clearing brilliantly from a hot English attack. (Photo: Mee Cheung).

stole a single from a bit of slack complete his fifty, ramming it home returning of the ball. Garthwaite's last with a nice cover drive. The Army Calding was a feet to do. ball pushed back Kilbee's leg stump. The Army fielding was not too bad to the people in the Pavilion very but at times, the ball was not gather—low down at forward short leg but one can only assume he thought it ed as it should have been. Fourteen he rolled over and the bowler's one can only assume he thought it ed as it should have been. Fourteen the rolled over thought could would go clear of the sticks, 38-2-25. came from Prichard's next over and umpire I should have thought could not see. I do not know (when Rarron went on for Murphy. In Goliath seemed to be having it all not see. I do not know (when

throw to give Elvin a hit for five.

his wicket in putting Holden round

lose those dangerous off flicks of his.

In Penree's second over Jackson

hit a big four to leg but he went

where in a ring there were a "Sul-

again but McLellan continued.

and patient knock.

and the game was drawn,

Prichard joined Jackson who was

It was a very useful innings and

to fine leg when he had scored 38.

Below will be found the week-end stand though they were in no position sun which would have unsighted him results of local league and cup had he faced Queen's Road. Any- football, together with the revised way the batsman continued his league tables.

> INTERNATIONAL CHARITY CUP RESULTS

> > England

1 Wales DIVISION I Results

* Royal Navy - Eastern Ath. Lengue Table

	Garthwaite was sent in next one	Goals
•	ahead of his place in the order. It	P. W. D. L. F. A. P
	seemed pretty clear he had instruc- tions to get on with it but in playing	D 11/ Positions 10 0 1 0 00 14
C	out at Holden in the same order he	
e S	gave Owen Hughes an easy eatch.	S. China "B" 11 7 2 2 24 12
t	40-2-0. Ten was taken with the score at 46. I find on enquiry that	S. China "A" 10 5 3 2 18 9
e.;	the bowler's umpire-was-not-unsight-	East-Lancs 10-5-1-4-17-17-
Σ ζ.	ed and gave the short leg chance as no catch.	Kowloon F.C. 12 5 1 6 14 23
7	A CHANCE	St. Joseph's 9 4 2 3 16 12
٠	After ten Holden's first ball was,	Royal Navy . 8 4 1 3 10 13
ı	snicked between the wicket keeper	Eastern Ath. 9 4 1 4 15 17
1	who just touched it and first allo and	Chinese (K) 11 2 5 4 17 24
۱,	went for four. It was a chance, but	H.K.F.C, 10 4 0 6 22 17
5	a most difficult one. Elvin was now	Athletic : 11 2 3 6 12 24
ij	definitely brightening up and sent	Recreio 0 1 4 4 10 23
• [McLellan nicely to long leg for four.	H.K. Police . 11 0 2 9 8 34
1	He was very unlucky in treading on	* Match Postponed.
	his wicket in putting Holden round!	-

DIVISION II

not as slow as that of Daniells who Results had more of the bowling early on. R.W. Fusiliers 3 South China The latter, however, kept a very Athletic 0 R. Engineers straight bat in defence and is hard R.A. Lyemun 0 Royal Navy to get out-or would be if he could Chinese Police - R.U. Rifles

League Table

	1		•				,		
	shaping much better than in the Navy	· ·			•		_		•
	game. However, Prichard was very				_		Go	als	· .
	smartly caught at the wicket off	i .	Р.	W.	D.	L.	F.	Λ.	Pt
	McLellan 67-4-4-and things did not	R.W. Fusillers	13	10	3	.0	50	11	2
i	look so nice for the Army. However.	Royal Navy	11	10	1	0	56	18	2
	Walch and Jackson started to defend	South China	13	Ω	1	3	36	18	. 1
i	steadily. It was now their only	Enst Lancs.	11	· 6	ā	2	33	21	î
	policy as all chance of a win was	RII Riffes	11	7	ĭ	3	20	17	í
	gone. But some attractive cricket	D Engineers	10	÷.	٨	3	20	12	•
· i	was seen—Jackson in particular mak-	Dollas (C)	11	82	1	. a	7.0 0 E	10	4
	was seen—Jackson in particular mak-	Police (C)	11	ב ט	Ť	.5	40	23	ī
J	ing a beautiful drive through mid-								1
ı	wicket for four off McLellan.	R.A. Lyemun	10	2	` 3	5	19	23	
١	At 88 Hayward standing well back	R.A. S'cutters	12	2	2	8	19	.36	
J	caught Walch low down off Holden	H.K.F.C.	11	2	1	8	14	37	•
1	(88-5-9). Moreton came in, but	Kowloon F.C.	12	. 2	0	10	14	33,	
ļ	returned a catch to McLellan three								
1	runs later. When the hundred went								
Ì	up Pearce relieved Holden and I								
ı	expected to see Owen Hughes go on		11- 0		•		,	• •	
ı	subscied to acc Outtle Haffiles Bo on	<u>`-</u>	:						

DIVISION III

Results . back to one a couple of balls later which seemed to kick and gave Holden an easy catch at square leg R. Engineers L. Portuguesa 2 Kumnon Rifles Police (C) League Table

cide Squad" of four men. Pearce was bowling off breaks round the wicket. 115—7—33. A very good P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts. R.W. Fusiliers 10 10 0 0 39 6 20 7. Portuguesa 11 8. 1 2 32 19 17 East Lancs. . 11 8 0 3 47 14 At 5.22 Clegg Hill was l.b.w. to Owen Hughes who had gone on for McLellan. 126—8—5. Undéterred, Murphy hit Alec Pearce out of the ground to square-leg and then had a big single towards extra cover. But next over he called Barron for a short one which was utterly unnecessary and Hayward had the halls off. 133—9—0. However Warr survived the four more balls and the game was drawn.

is most interesting as there are two several years.

NAVY'S GREAT VICTORY

ARMY COLLAPSE IN THE SECOND INNINGS

THE CLOSING STAGES OF INTERESTING GAME

(By R. Abbit)

The Navy beat the Army by 84 runs in the two-day Triangular Tournament cricket match which finished on Christmas Eve. Below, R. Abbit describes the concluding stages of the game, in which the Army collapsed on a rather bad wicket.

At 5.08 the horrible story was told,

and about ten minutes later it start-

ed raining heavily. Prowse took 6

CLASH PLAN

A glorious win.

will participate.

"VERITAS"

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all having played 21 matches, stand

on level pegging with 26 points

apiece. Just below them comes

At ten time on Wednesday while | Prichard hung on until 80, when he the Army were batting one of their was caught magnificently by Tuffnell players remarked that they would running like a stag from mid-wicket need a lead of 75 runs to put things to long-on on the boundary. He took square for having to bat on that it very easily in his left hand. How wicket in the fourth innings. He was on earth-or anywhere else-he saw perfectly right, though the extent of it at all I don't know. the Army disaster cannot be put down to the pitch alone.

Everyone got a few runs at the end wickets for 38 and Boucher 4 for 20. of the Army innings and their score of 215 was satisfactory on the wicket. If it had seemed likely to be bigger at one time, it also at another seemed likely to be smaller!

They owed a great deal Prichard and Walch-whose 67 was an excellent knock, while Murphy made a most useful 31 going in number nine. Boucher, who was overbowled got 5 for 84 and Prowse who only bowled very late 3 for 37.

THE NAVY'S SECOND KNOCK

Going in with a balance of 65 against them the Navy started inauspiciously as Davis hit a full toss from Garthwalte to Daniells who made a quick catch 0-1-0. However Cochrane stayed until 32 was on the board and Kirkwood and Phillimore then made an excellent

Fifty-four runs were put on and lines to the Roper Cup tennis series, then the left-hander cocked one will be held by the Shanghai Badback to Prichard. Donald only minton Association beginning from got a single and Boucher was l.b.w. January 15. The closing date for very shortly afterwards, but Kirk- this competition will be January 7. wood found a useful partner in Tuff-.3 nell who had, very rightly, been tative men's doubles team to meet promoted in the batting order. It is on a knock-out basis and the entrue he only got three, but he stay- trance fee will be \$2.00 per team. ed with Kirkwood while an invalu- A splendid trophy for this tournaable 41 runs were added. 136-6-3. ment has been presented by Mr. G. Kirkwood himself was out ten runs W. B. Dainton, a keen badminton o later, caught at the wicket off enthusiast. Murphy.

to force the pace.

WHOOPS, DEARIE!

With only three wickets to go, and to be forthcoming from groups rea meagre lead of 81, the Navy looked presenting England, France, Canada, as if they were in for a bad beating. Portugal, Scotland, China, U.S.A. But then, Hayter and Wauchope got and Scandinavia. It is probable also 17 together and lashed out with the that Greece, Palestine; Switzerland 16 courage of despair.

In one over of Barron's, Hayter hit five consecutive fours and a two off the last ball. It was not until in the exuberance of his heart Wauchope tried to hit a nearyorker to forward mid-wicket that the stand was broken and Moreton bowled him.

Eighty-four runs had been put on quickly of which the retiring batsman had made 38. One of these very and not for several years has there popular captain's innings. They were been such an absorbing position at bustling for runs now and at 244 for the top of the first division table as nine and half-past three the innings that which exists following the was declared closed, and the Army Christmas holiday programme, had to get 180 to win, in 110 minutes, Arsenal, Brentford and Sunderland.

A NASTY ACCIDENT

I fancy they had been a bit shaken by the way in which the match had games, and below them is Portsgames, and below them is Portsoppressed by the magnitude. Any with 25 points from 22 matches. It way, however that may be, the Army did not make a great showing, and I don't suppose a pasty needdent to that London has three teams figuring I don't suppose a nasty accident to in the first four positions. Arsenal, Moreton did much to cheer them up. who for a long time were languish-It was, actually, no fault of the who for a long time were languish-pltch or, for the matter of that, of have made a remarkable recovery pltch or, for the matter of that, of the bowler. Harper, with fastish off break, which did not get up much more than stump high, laid him out among the most likely winners of the championship. They have been winning home games regularly for

the post month, and have consolidat-The only time the Army looked ed this by sharing spoils on foreign like doing much was when Garth- grounds. Sunderland, the cham-6 waite and Daniells sent up 43 for the pions, are still very much in the pic-5 first wicket. Prowse at the Gas ture, and but for their unexpected 4 Works end was bowling very well defeat on Christmas Day would be and finally got Daniells well caught strongly placed. The consistent form in the deep by Hayler. Murphy was of Sunderland, Charlton and Brentvery well stumped by Kirkwood three ford this season leads one to believe runs later and at 53 Garthwaite got that in the final analysis they will outside Prowse's off break and played probably have more to say about the it in to his wicket. championship than Arsenal, who When Walch was stumped for a have been decidedly mercurial, and duck all chance of a win had gone, may easily suffer a relapse.

PENNY-A-DAY GOLF FOR CLUB MEMBERS

It is the result of an inter-club The 5s. fees are distributed by the

A member of an affliated club nolfer's life," commented Major A.

This is a golfer's dream come true. He can now spend a golfing county in which 60 clubs come unholiday in his home county playing der the scheme, by playing two a full day on a different course rounds a day, can enjoy as many as every day at a cost of a penny a 120 rounds of golf at a halfpenny a

membership exchange system in England which now includes seven counties, scores of golf clubs and several hundred golfers.

The scheme adds variety to the Maccace.

Mr. & Maccace

MACCACE and the game was drawn.

There is no doubt that the Club were the better side and I think would have won had the Army batted, first. The position with report. I doubt—they will be the ard to the Triangular Tournament is most interesting as there are two is most interesting as there are two in the first time for the

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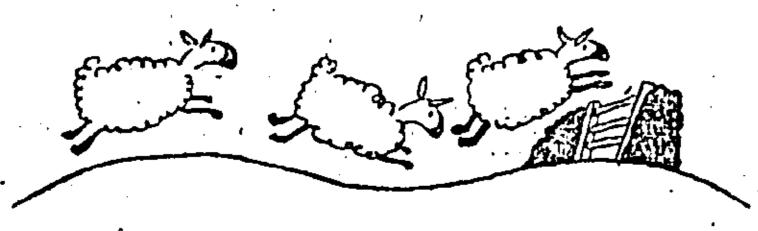
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When the millionaire offered half his fortune to any one who maximum support, sink to about could help him sleep, there lay his trouble, in that tiny spot of half its thickness when lain on.

Now a scientist is

Why do we sleep?

Fog

colds and spoiled household that he selected. few suggestions for combating the on the sleep centres of laboratory. Neither top sheet nor blankets cats, he found he could

trouble may be opportune, There is no known means of send them fast asleep controlling a fog economically, but at any moment of the its effect is lessened in a room that day or night, just by is warm, for womth makes a fog stimulating that centre. belt rise, so that it is less likely to swamp a warm room or to in- trying to do the same thing for human beings. convenience those sitting in it.

After a fog has lifted, it is advis- When he succeeds—as able to go over the greenhouse glass no doubt he will—It will or the garden frames with a cloth, be possible to send for the fog leaves a thin film of dirt yourself to sleep just which shuts off much of the thin by pressing your bedwinter sun, so precious to plant life, side switch. The same, of course, applies to win- or of the arteries that carry the and sound. Have some light literations where plants stand on the sill. When a fog falls it is wise to remove blood into the brain often affect ture, a hot drink in a fiash, and some plants from any place near the window, as the sulphur and other ances of sleep. chemicals in the fog can do a lot of

helpful to all flower and plant lovers absolutely, without sleep for more you must treat, not the symptom. this winter in combating the fog than a few days. nulsance. They found that a two per cent. solution of ammonia, stood Why We Sleep per cent, solution of ammonia, stood in trays on the floor of the green-house, neutralised the sulphuric acid in the fog which proves so damaging to the floor of the green-house, neutralised the sulphuric acid nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time, and others the long run your insomnia will nearly all the time. in the fog which proves so damaging to flowers. Very little shedding of the leaves and flowers followed this

the road or getting out of taxleab. treatment saved by the use of electric fans that, Easy on the imagination is the by lowering the humidity of the air, sensible theory that sleep is our wander. Don't try to think of diminished the damage by fog, which adaptation to the rhythm of dark— wander. On the contrary think temperature.

house by standing saucers of weak ing-up action is stronger in the enemies whose faces you would like Buttress, there were further indicaneutralise the air, by having fires or any other period) and to escape To rise easily, never use an alarm. wind now believed and shricked, and ammonia about the place to first three hours of sleep than in to smash. electric fans going.

If you go out with your dog in a Dream Clues thick fog, and he is one of the long-haired breeds, he is sure to come back dirty and sodden. A grown dog will clean itself of the dirt, but the will clean itself of the dirt, but the sodden coat may soon induce a cold, though I cannot see it, except in so out of bed. or "paralysis of the hindquarters" if far as they are clues that bubble up But don't jump. That's bad for left like that for the night during a from our deepest subconscious the circulation. prolonged fog. -

A brisk rub-down with a rough cloth as soon as he comes in is most important, and the dog should be + kept out of draughts especially when I sleeping at night. It is better to 4 sleep with no window open than to + be forced to breathe fog-laden air.



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instincts and impulses to show which way our emotions are urging us. The commonest causes of poor sleep are your health, your surroundings, and your nerves.

Sleeplessness is often the first sign of physical illness, and points to an overhaul by your doctor.

Oftener it is the outcome of .not taking care of surroundings. People will spend hundreds of pounds on a bed in which they spend eight

Bed Clothes

weight folk. It should, to give the

, Sheets may be of linen or cotion, and rheumaticky people will benefit There was a young scientist from using cotton sheets with of Zurich who devised a remark-finannelette finish.

able apparatus by the help of The best blankets combine which he could focus electric lightness with warmth. Three light THE senson of fogs, with its train of shocks on any part of the brain bunkets are better than two heavy ones because of the layers of air in When he focused electric shocks between,

See that they are wide and loose enough to enable you to move freely during without your becoming uncovered and chilled. See that your furniture, doors, and windows are creak-free. See that your lighting and mirrors are glare-Keep your bedroom comfortably con-

ditioned for air, warmth these centres and produce disturb- biscults on the low bedside table.

inces of sleep.

If it isn't your health or your Then you get people who cannot surroundings, it must be your nerves. sleep except in tiny snatches. Disturbed sleep is the most regu-They may deceive themselves into lar symptom of any nervous or we may make on New Year's Day, has thinking that they do not sleep at mental complaint or of prolonged a fair chance of fulfilment, and last Recent experiments should prove all, but it isn't possible to go worry. Obviously it is the cause week-end I was again at Capel Curig. Your doctor can always prescribe hypnotics to tide you over a crisis; moderate hypnotic drugs are effec-

Pleasant Thoughts

aiminished the damage by log, which adaptation to the rhythm of dark — wallet. Don't it to stand bidding countenance. Moel Slabod was wreathed with mist, and steel blue-depends largely upon the amount of ness and lightness, to night and day, nothing you like, especially if clouds hung low on Snowdon. Even in moisture in the air and on the Sleep enables us to rest the of anything you like, especially if muscles and organs of the body, it is pleasant: the riches you would the valley the wind moaned with sus-Thus, much can be done to to build up the food we eat into like to squander, the beautiful wo- ained threatenings counteract the fog's effects in the the cells of the body (that build- men you would like to woo, the

heaters on, and by keeping the from the stress and strain of living. It sends your blood pressure up by along the length of Llyn Ogwen ran If you have had the right amount of sleep you will not need it.

Hints for Beauty Sleep

SLEEP with your skin free to breathe; don't clog it up with thick coatings of cream. If your skin is over-dry grease it before going to bed certainly, but don't leave the stuff on all night.

SLEEP every evening before your evening meal-for half an hour before it when you can spare the time. Pads of cotton wool soaked in eye lotion or rose-water will help the general reviving effect on a tired system.

SLEEP in the cinema-when you feel like it. Struggling to keep awake when there is a chance to sleep is hard on your looks, SLEEP nine hours a night or more if you want to or if you're nervy-or your face will line early.

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WINTRY WEST

by Tom Stephenson

HREE weeks ago, after a summer-like week-end in North Wales, I decided to return to the delectable mountains at the first opportunity. .

Such a resolution, unlike the vows collimbed leisurely on pleasantly warm rocks beneath soft blue skies. Lazily we had lingered on the crags and idly gazed over pastel shaded hills, and looked down on the still mirror of Llyn Ogwen, and the faintly rippled, sparkling waters of Llyn Idwal.

· No such lotus pleasures did we find on the second visit. Summer was gond, and winter, making its first onslaught, called for extra sweaters and

At times, frenzled gusts swept the water in the air like ascending rain, while from above came the first warnings of a deluge.

Sill hopeful, we trudged up the Heather Terrace, that stony track which traverses the grand east face of Trylaen, and which, seen from below, appears as a faint grey line peratched diagonally across the crags and buttresses of the mountain.

At 2.30 p.m. we stood at the foot of he climb known as Pinnacle Rib. which starts from a point about 2,000 get above sea level and mounts the rags to the central peak of Tryfaen. By that time the storm had broken nd the rain battered us and slashed at ur faces and the wind tugged and mished us hither and thither: subided in brief lulls as if to tempt us

farther, and then renewed its attack with increased fury.

Should we attempt the climb, or should we retreat? That was the question each considered inwardly, each walting for someone else to decide that the conditions justified us in abandoning the climb.

Eventually it was agreed that, as we were a large party and as progress would be slow in such circumstances. it was possible that the climb would not be accomplished before dark, and we should be faced with the awkward task of descending in the black night. Bo it was we returned to the Guest House and welcome hot baths and dry ciothes. There in comfort we listened to the howling gale driving rain and hall against the windows whilst we talked of other days and future prospects.

On Sunday morning the storm had subsided, but cheerless clouds were still -scudding-low-across-the-hills .-- The-Llugwy, swollen and racing, had spread across the meadows, and the woods on the flanks of Moel Blabod had lost much of their autumnal blaze. Some of us returned to Tryfaen by

on Central Buttress it seemed that every climber in the district had sought that east face in hope of shelter from the chilly blast. While we climbed the storm reopened, this time with hall in place of

the Heather Terrace. As we climbed

rain. In this there was the consolation that the inilstones, sting as they might, did bounce off instead of saturating our garments. As the hall melted in crannles and ledges of the rocks it made mighty cold liquid in which one's hands

sought a hold. Consequently, there was much blowing of fingers and swinging of arms for circulation. But there were compensations in the prospect of silver-grey curtains of frozen rain rippling along the hillsides; the sight of the mountains in their first winter white; the flash of lightning and the echoed roll of thunder, and above all, the glowing tingling warmth regained on the homeward journey.

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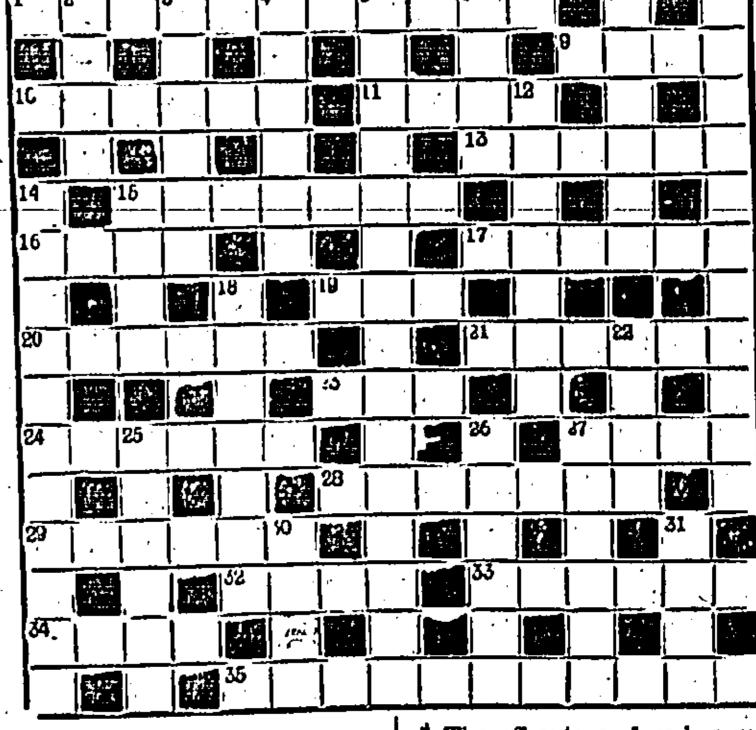
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1 Alice is immersed in a manual treating the whole of these minute creatures. 9 I'm afraid there's no getting on

with it, this time. 10 A range of mountains. 11 Tip them for stealth. 13 Strong drink with plenty of

15 Equine feature much like Wilt-16 Satellite that appears with one

17 Is strongly drawn towards 19 Boys, frequently have a game with this animal in a field.

stroke more than 9.

20 This is rather loutish, I'm afraid, but it's nothing to a born swimmer. 21 Unless you prefer waste, say

no. 23 Tasks? Enquire within. 24 Put it—and then some.

27 Old-fashioned advice, it's true -but maintain a healthy colour. 28 Just one more. 29 Dave in? Yes, in a way. Not invited, it would seem, though.

32 Hard study. 33 Seared (anag.) 34 plus 2 divided by 4. 35 Just one degree between cloth-

ing and card enables many a woman to make ends meet. DOWN

2 Driven into the wood, and left there, poor thing.
3 Border where it is necessary

to spoll drink. 4 Seel A couple of articles one has to detest. 5 It's against the law, of course,

but many singers do it without a blush. (Three words, 5, 5, 5). 6 Flatters.

The effrontery of such a return indisputable. 8 No need to have a truce in order to be met.

12 For a complete solution steps must be taken, of course, to secure them. 14 These deceptions are usually practised after school.

15 A cry which, by repetition, loses efficacy. 8 These are to be found in the midst of both salt water and fresh.

25 Making an exception, sang about six. 26 Run down for the master, he's so upset. 27 Referring to a foreign coin, say.

22 Legal employer.

you too many.

30 Jugged hare, we all know, but jugged sheep, comparatively is -well, uncatable. 31 It's very unpleasant not to have one, but don't let anyone give

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EX-KING EDWARD SAW IN



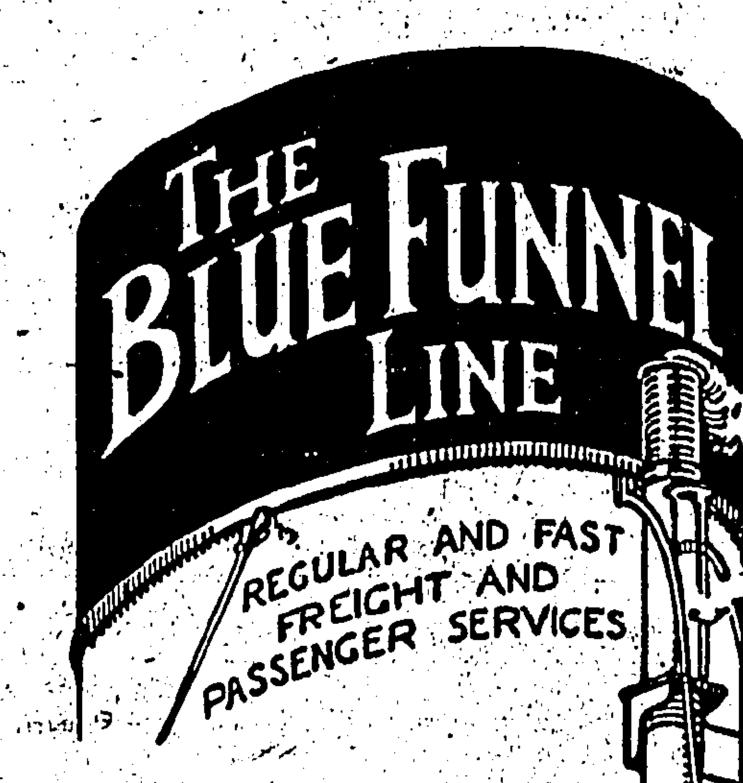
AT the last minute, at ex-King Edward's own request, he visited Dowlais, the northern part of Merthyr, during his tour of South Wales. Crowds greeted him at this dereliet steel works, which presented a spectacle like a fantastic film net. Dowlais was once a "town of steel" until these works closed four years ago. Thousands were employed there-to-day only a few are dismantling it.



PROPLE clambered to the roofs and hung fings from their windows at Merthyr.



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MANY QUESTIONS BEFORE K.R.A.

The monthly meeting of the General Committee of the Kowloon Residents' Association took place on the evening of Monday, December 21, in the Vicarage, St. Andrew's Church,

Kowloon. Those present were: Mr. B. Wylie (President), Mr. F. Mow Fung (Vice-President), Mr. R. Baldwin (Hon. Secretary), Messra. A. Cheung, W. C. Felshaw, Lam Ming-fan, and Li Chor-chi. Apologies, for absence were received from Mrs. E. W. Gardiner and the Rev. J. R. Higgs.

In response to a request from Government to nominate a representative to serve on the Committee in connection with the arrangements for the Coronation of H. M. The King, it was agreed that Mr. F. Mow Fung should serve in that capacity.

A letter from the Superintendent of Police, Kowloon, enclosing suggestions by the Kowloon Motor Bur Co. regarding the alteration of certain routes was read.' The Bus-Service Sub-Committee reported having considered the proposed alterations thoroughly, and advised that the Association recommend their adoption. It was agreed that the police should be notified to this effect.

GUIDE BOOK

A letter was read from the Hongkong Travel Association suggesting that the K.R.A. proposed Guide Book should be issued under the auspices of that Association and that the K.R.A. should co-operate with the Travel Association in the production of the book. It was agreed to refer this mutter to the next meeting. of the General Committee.

In view of further complaints regarding the presence of mosquitoes in the Kowloon City area, as mentioned in the Association's letter to Government of August 13, it was decided to write Government again on the matter, at the same time asking for a reply to the last paragraph of that letter, which referred to the desirability of an enquiry into the case of a drowning fatality.

The Sanitation Sub-Committee reported that it was still considering | Chiang the letter from Government on the subject of leprosy in Kowloon and that it would draft a letter in the near future for the consideration of the General Committee,

of \$50 to St. Andrew's Church in | recovery after the Great War, author appreciation of the use of the Church of several authoritative books on Hall for the Association's meetings.

Liner Freed After Hours

London, Dec. 27. The German-liner Pretoria hasleft Southampton for Capetown after being aground on a mudbank in Southampton Waters for

sixty hours. The captain states that he expecis to arrive at Capetown, for which port the vessel was bound, according to schedule, as he will omit the calls at Lisbon and

Casablanca.—Reuter.

German Crew Saved By Frenchmen

Dakar, Dec. 27.
The crew of a German South Atlantic air liner were dramatically saved by, a fast motor cutter belonging to a rival French line, it was learned here to-day when the men had come safely to shore.

The cutter was near at hand when the big German machine landed in the sea after having lost her propellor. The crew transferred to the cutter, but the plane had to be abandoned owing to the heavy seas.—Reuter.

MOBILE GUARD CALLED OUT

Villefranche-sur-Mer, Dec. 27. Mobile Guards were called from Nice to disperse Communists who had taken possession of the Town Hall here to-day after the Radical Socialist Mayor had resigned as a result of his refusal to listen to demands for enforcement of the Communists' labour relief programme.---United Press.

PORTUGUESE XI VISITS H.K.

A Portuguese Artillery football eleven is visiting Hongkong and will play a team of Royal Engineers at 4 p.m. at Sookunpoo to-day and the Small Units at 2.15 p.m. to-morrow.

NOTED GERMAN GENERAL DEAD



General Hans von Secckt, reconstructor of Germany's post war Army, whose death is reported from Berlin.

FAMOUS GENERAL PASSES

REBUILT GERMAN ARMY AFTER WAR ONCE ADVISER

TO NANKING

German Army, who in 1934 of Deputles.-Reuter. came to the Far East as chief military adviser to Marshal Germany owing to ill-health.—in the German army.

Known as the man who started It was agreed to donate the sum Germany along the road to military military strategy, and on the future of Germany's armed forces, General von Seeckt was universally regarded as one of the outstanding soldiers of

MODERNISED ARMIES

When the Versailles Treaty imposed restrictions on the German post-war army, it was General von Seeckt who adroitly made Germany's military forces the most efficient of their size in the world. His ex-enemics had successfully insisted that universal conscription be abolished in Germany and that the German army be limited to 100,000, including officers. General von Seeckt thereupon trained an army of 100,000 specialists, the framework of a potential large military establishment in years to come.

FIERCE BERLIN BLAZE

UNDERGROUND RAIL-WAY BURNS

. Berlin, Dec. 27. Excavators to-day aided firefighters, tearing up the roadway of the Potsdamerplatz to enable firemen to reach a big fire raging in a tunnel of an underground railway, at present under construction.

Boulks, sleepers and tar barrels fed the flames, and a dense smoke prevented firemen approaching the blaze through the entrance of the

General Herman Goering and Dr. Josef Goebbels, Minister for Air and Propaganda respectively, Joined the huge crowd which watched the fight against the flames.-Reuter.

UNDER CONTROL

Berlin, Later. It is understood the fire is practically extinguished, at 1 a.m.

The firemen only gained control after 17 brigades had been in operation for some hours, directed by the head of the fire fighting force speaking through a loud-speaker connection in a specially equipped motor

Many underground workshops, most of the tunnel's electric wiring and wooden panelling were destroyed.-British Wireless.

COMPULSORY ARBITRATION

FRENCH - SENATE PASSES BILL

Paris, Dec. 28. The Senate, by a vote of 170 to 89. adopted the Bill providing for com-The death has occurred of pulsory arbitration of labour dis-General Hans von Seeckt, the putes, with only a few modifications reconstructor of the post-war of the text as passed by the Chamber

Wilhelm, at regular army Kai-shek's. Nanking manocuvres. The Versailles Treaty forces but later returned to explicitly forbade the enrolment of members of the Hohenzollern family

HIS CAREER

General von Seeckt was born in Schleswig on April 22, 1866, and entering on a military career at an early age, showed such brilliance that he was posted to the General Staff in the German Army in 1807. Of his war services it is sufficient to say that, starting as a Lieutenant-Colonel in 1914 and Chief of the General Staff of the Third (Brandenburg) Army, which formed part of General von Kluck's First Army at Mons and Villers Coteret, he rose to be Chief of the General Staff of Field Marshal von Mackensen and, later, to the Turkish Army in the field. Under Mackensen he was responsible for the plans which broke the Russian front at Gorlice and led to the fall of Przemysł, Ivangorod, Lemberg, Warsuw and Brest Litovsk. For that he was promoted General. He then proceeded with Mackensen to overrun Serbin with the Bulgarian Army as allies. Again he was called upon to On October 5, 1926, General von Seeckt resigned the chief command of his country's armed forces, owing to the participation of the German ex-Crown Prince's eldest son, sive to a halt.

CHURCH CALLS TO NATION

Archbishop Warns Of Slackening Morality

London, Dec. 27.

"Just as there was no room for Christ in the inn on the first Christmas Day, so to-day there is no room for Him in the noise and bustle of the hostelry of modern life," declared the Archbishop of Canterbury broadcasting to the nation this evening.

His oratory was a solemn "recall to religion."

He commented on the slackening and scorning of the old standards of morality, visible in the loosening of the ties of marriage and of the restraint upon the impulse of

However, he was convinced that there was an instinct of religion and sound morality in the common heart. God was not so much denied as "crowded out."

"God knows how needful pleasures | national life: are as a means of escaping from the strain of life or the monotony of work. 'See that they are wholesome,"

he urged. "In our national history the past year can never be forgotten. But its most recent and vivid memories had

better now be kept in silence.

"Within five months the King will be consecrated to his high office," the Archbishop went on. "The august ceremony will not benefit or have full meaning unless the nation, with and through its King, consecrates itself to the services of God.

"I pray God it may mark not only the beginning of a new reign, but a "Let us return from the past and new return of the nation to God, a to the future, and look upon all that new loyalty as to the King, and, above has happened as a call to re-establish all, to the King of Kings."—Reuter new return of the nation to God, a and re-settle the foundations of our Special.

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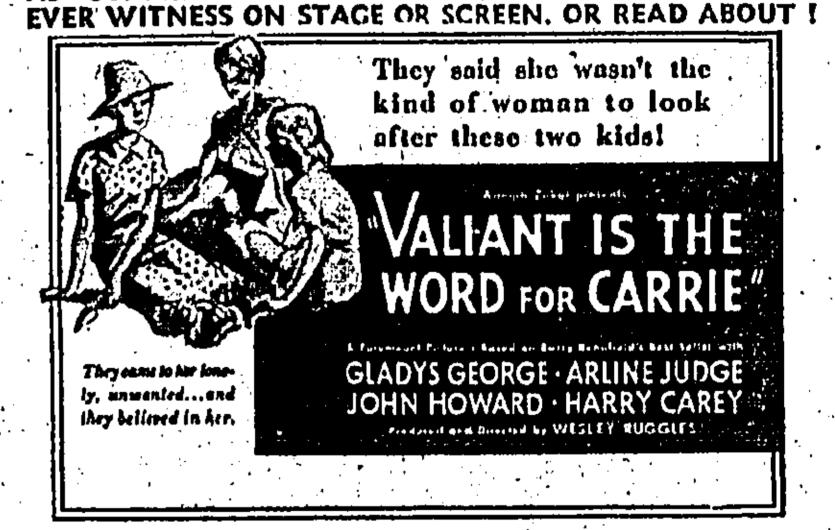
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